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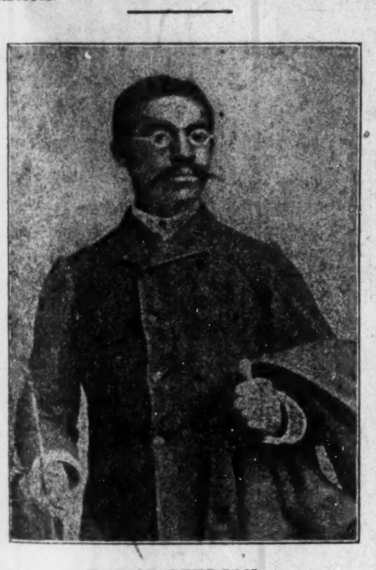
KENTUCKY'S MECCA

LOUISVILLE SOCIETY INTERMINGLES AT THE FAIR--PROMINENT VISITORS WITHIN GATES OF THE CITY.

THE EVENT A CREDITABLE ONE

And Long to be Remembered are the Numerous Exhibits Which Show That the Race is Doing--Men of Note--Personals.

Capt. B. P. Bell, as he is familiarly known, is the custodian of the Louisville Medical College. That he is greatly respected is proven by his high relation with the people generally. He has for years been connected with the order of Masons, whose offices he has filled from the lowest to the M. V. G. of the Grand Patriarchie. Captain Bell has attended the B. M. C., Triennial meets, Grand Conclave. He has been elected representative to the Grand Patriarchie which meets in Pittsburg, Pa., in September. For the eleventh time he has been made Captain General of the Louisville Patriarchie. He is chairman of the committee of arrangements of the *Consolidated* Odd Fellows. He is a member of Louisville Colored Fair Association.

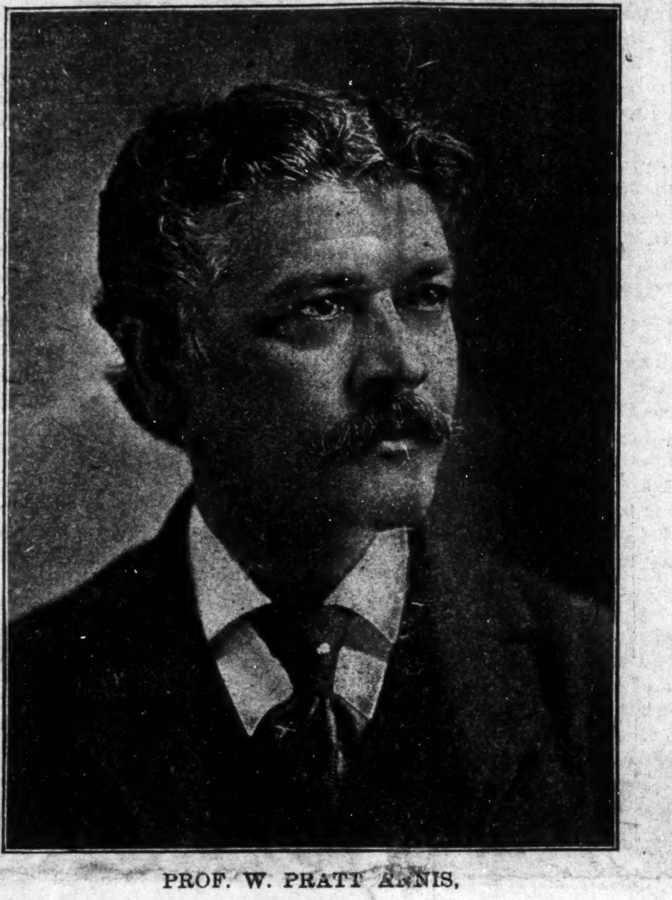


P. C. MASTERSON,
Well-Known Horse Owner and Trainer.

P. C. Masterson, well-known in this city, has the reputation of being the only colored professional trainer here. He has a reputation throughout the South for his good work and excellent horses. He not only trains for others, but has a string of horses of his own; not a long one, to be true, but what it lacks in quantity is made up in quality. Owing to some misunderstanding he did not enter his horses for the races during the colored fair last week, but he was the only colored man with his own stable on the ground. He, however, gave an exhibition trotting, in which the very good time of 2 13¾ was made. Mr. Masterson thinks of taking up a new field of labor, but at this time he is undecided where he will locate. His great ability in his chosen field of labor insures his success no matter where he goes.

Mr. Louis S. Murray was born in New Orleans in 1872. He is an excellent representative of that combination of French and Negro bloods, which characterized a large proportion of that State's population of earlier days. Mr. Murray is a creole. He came North in 1878, attended the public schools, during which time earned a certificate for proficiency in book-keeping. As a singer Mr. Murray is entitled to great praise. Very early in his life he showed great aptitude for music. His desire for music was ably seconded by a good voice which, by training, has become excellent and a fitting compliment to his technical ability. He began his musical career with Prof. McDaniels, well known in musical circles, but soon outstripped all of his class. He persevered until he now stands the most accomplished tenor singer of this city. His services are sought for by the greater musical events, choirs, etc. He has sung with the greater singers of the race, including Madams Selika, Jones, Clemens and others, sustaining his part with credit. He has a medal which he won by superior work, the odds being against him. Mr. Murray, guided by the artist's instincts, is ultra-humane as his charitable acts show. He holds his great talents in trust for the needy without pay. He is the proprietor of a well conducted barber shop at 1318 Preston street, where he serves a good class of people. He takes an unusual interest in the race, looking forward to its betterment. Mr. Murray is identified with the Odd Fellows, United Brothers of Friendship and Knights of Honor He is progressive in his ideas, standing for those things that tend to promote the interests of the race and the individual.

J. A. Reed, embalmer, now with the Louisville Funeral Directors Company, is a young man who has shown great ability in his profession. He has taken several thorough courses in embalming under eminent instructors. among whom were Profs. Renourd, of the French school, Clarke and Sullivan. Mr. Reed's work stands with the best done in the city.



PROF. W. PRATT ANNIS,
Associate Judge at the Fair.

Edward Griffin, formerly of Indianapolis, is conducting one of the most successful barbershops in this city. He is full of energy, polite and attentive to the wants of his customers. He is a stockholder in the Louisville Colored Fair Association.

Dr. E S. Porter is one of the leading practitioners of the city. He stands very high in the estimation of all as a gentleman and a physician.

LOUISVILLE'S SOCIETY AT THE FAIR.

A great fair!

The four hundred and all their poor relation were at the fair.

Prof. W. H. Perry, as secretary, was so busy he confessed that he did not know his name.

Dr. Stone, the president, was ubiquitous (dictionaries forbidden).

P. C. Masterson's exhibition drive was an event of the occasion; 2.13¾ was the time.

Dr Fitzbutler, "Jimmie," was officially at the resuscitation or rather the resurrection of the girl who was "buried" forty-eight hours.

It was great fair weather.

Wm. H. Stewart, of the American Baptist, was in evidence.

Rev. Dr. Parrish and Secretary Blue of the Y. M. C. A., enjoyed the cake walk immensely.

Have you seen little George? He is funny. He will make you laugh—Hawkins.

But those lovely women—Kentucky, thou art great in resources—fine women, fine horses, et cetera.

Just why The Freeman representative was selected as one of the committee on wines is a question.

The fair directors deserve great prise; they worked like Trojans. A neat sum was netted.

W. Pratt Annis was born for the position he held. "The Lord knows who was second"—the pony race.

Mr. G G. Young, of Lakelands, Ky., attended the fair. He is a trained nurse. He served with Dr. B. F. Porter at the hospital for the insane at that place under the Bradley government. Mr. Young is of Knoxville, Tenn., school.

Dr U. S. Beam of Lima, O., attended the fair. The doctor enjoys a lucrative practice at his home, 112 and 114 West Spring street.

Bicycle race—Thursday. Ben. Major, Robert Cole, Ben Pash, George May finishing in order named—¾ mile dash.

Mr. George A. Canter made a very creditable display. He is a machinist of ability.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Silkman and Mr. Jerry Reed and Miss Francis Pope—in a drag.

Mr. D. J. Bonner and Mr. C. L. Taylor enjoyed the cake walk.

Miss Gertrude Easton, of Indianapolis, accompanied by Miss Minnie Harrison, 1102 15th street, attended the fair. She is visiting Miss Harrison.

Committee on Wines: B. I. Davis, I. B. Taylor and Wm. M Lewis, of The Freeman. All served without proxy.

W. Pratt Annis, associate judge of the fair, is one of the city's foremost citizens. He saw the light in 1856. But time has dealt exceedingly gentle with him. He is the picture of health. Mr. Annis was taught in the pay schools, that were the order of earlier days, finishing at Wilberforce, Ohio. He has been engaged in the Louisville schools as teacher for twenty-eight years, in which time he rose from teacher of primary school to teacher in high school, where he teaches English, grammar and literature. He is conceded to be a man of ability. Mr. Annis points with pride to the numerous individuals that it has been his pleasure to teach, many of whom are making a satisfactory race in the world of affairs As judge at the fair Mr. Annis was a great success. He is a member of the fair association.

The Western School, Prof. Perry, principal, and the California School, Miss Duvalle principal, made very creditable exhibits. These schools demonstrated that they were carrying out the industrial idea. Excellent needle work by girls and boys was the main feature of the exhibit.

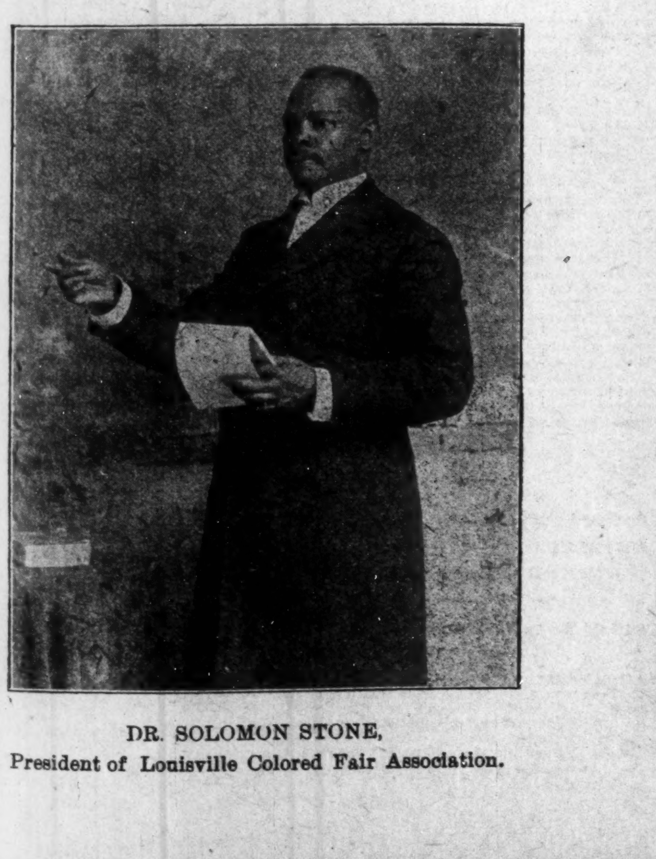
Bread, cakes galore, some good, some very good, none bad. The colored folks have lost none of their aptitude for good cooking.

John Sweeney, of Lagrange, Ky., was one of the noted visitors of the fair. He is a pioneer in the fair movement which now sweeps over the State of Kentucky. Twenty-five years ago he took the iniative, heading the first fair association. Since then he has purchased two fair sites, the last one being in Oldham county, where the fair association of which he is now treasurer will hold its next fair. This association is the only one in the State owning its own property. Mr. Sweeney has until very recently been president of the association. Mr. Sweeney is a man of influence in his community. He is a Mason.

From Indianapolis: Mr. and Mrs. Emsirdell Stone, Mrs. Lizzie Phillips. Misses Henrietta Davis, Mamie Morris, Ella Johnson, Mrs. Eliza Johnson and Mrs. Hayes Wilson.

A distinguished group of visitors from Lexington, Ky.: Dr. P. D. Robinson, Messrs E. W. Chenault, P. L. Parrish, T. I. Wilson and others.

A bevy of school marms: Misses Lillian Morris, Elizabeth Inez Dinney, T. Easton, Cincinnati, O., Lizette Hicks, Eva B Colbert, Daisy B. Harris, Ida Belle Nugent. Estella Morris and Sadie Evans. Dr. James H. Fitzbutler, Thos. R. Tate and Guy W. Smith were the gentlemen. Swell brake wagon, etc. The Freeman man was introduced. Confusion.



DR. SOLOMON STONE,
President of Louisville Colored Fair Association.

Local Notes

Ironton, Mo., Special.—Died at his residence July 30, Silas Vaughn by which Ironton sustains the loss of an honorable and faithful citizen. The funeral took place at his late residence Wednesday, 31 ult. He was 44 years of age; his remains were placed in the Pilot Knob cemetery. We condole with the bereaved wife and relatives. On July 29 Mrs. Charlotte Collier died. In her death the church and city sustains the loss of an honorable and faithful member; she was a devoted mother and christian woman. Mrs. Collier was 88 years of age; her remains were placed in the Ironton cemetery. Married at the residence of Mrs. Nancy Jackson Tuesday, July 30, Miss Nettie Jackson to William Bedford, both of this city. As the 4th of August came on Sunday this year Saturday was celebrated instead; a grand lawn party was given by Mesdames Booker, Bradshaw and Polly; a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. A few of our citizens attended the Farmington picnic on the 3 inst.

Springfield News

Springfield, Ill., Special.—The colored people here are gradually going into business. C. C. Lee is one of our business men. Elder A. J. Burton was in the city Saturday, 27 ult. The base ball game played at Sportsman's Park Sunday. 28 ult. for the Old Folks' Home, was more comical than exciting; Dr. S. A. Ware and Fred Wright did some good playing. It is rumored that Springfield is to have a colored fire department. The body of Lieut. Blakely, who died in the Philippines last October, arrived here last Thursday, and was buried from St. Paul church with military honors.

Solid qualities of integrity, of thoroughness, should outweigh in a girl's estimate of a man mere superficial cleverness and brilliancy.—August Ladies' Home Journal.

THE SUNNY SOUTH

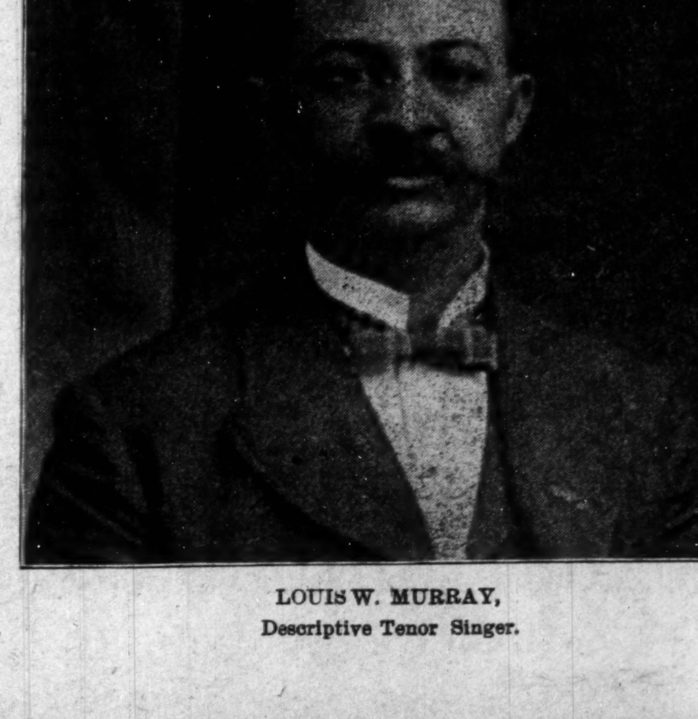
IN MISSISSIPPI'S SHEER DOMAIN OUR CORRESPONDENT NOTES MANY OF THE WEEK'S HAPPENINGS THAT WILL BE.

INTERESTING TO OUR READERS

Picked Up in Vicksburg's Circles and Other Southern Cities We Chronicle the Latest News--In Church and Social Realms.

Vicksburg, Miss., Special.—Mrs. Lucy Jefferson, wife of undertaker W. H. Jefferson, left last week for Boston, where she will spend the summer with relatives and friends. Miss Annie Johnson, departed Tuesday, July 30, for Chicago, Ill., where she will spend the remainder of the heated term. Miss Carrie Hunter is a charming visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brooks, on South Walnut street. Subscribe for The Freeman, $1 per year. Rev. J. H. C. Henry arrived Friday, Aug. 2, from Natchez, Miss., where he had been in attendance at the State Baptist Convention. Mrs. Ellen Shaffer died at her home on Lane's Hill, Aug. 2; the deceased was a member of the King Solomon Baptist church, where her funeral was largely attended at 3 o'clock Saturday, Aug. 3; Rev. J. H. C. Henry, pastor, officiating. Walter Carrington, a highly respected citizen, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. M. Marshall, on S. Locust street; the deceased was a member of the Jackson Street M. Baptist church, where the funeral was held Friday afternoon, Aug. 2; Rev. Amos John, D. D., officiating. Bennie Parker, Clarence Russell, Sanford Churbbs, Hyram Weathers and M. Foot, all highly respected young men of the city, are daily engaged at the furniture factory in South Vicksburg. The Watermelon club had their first grand opening Saturday night Aug. 3, at the corner of 3rd N and M streets. Orange U. Taylor will place The Freeman in your home one year for $1. Pay for the paper you are reading; be honest. A large crowd left July 30 for Memphis. Tenn., on an excursion given under the auspices of the Y. M. V. R. R. Co.; they returned wiser The Jolly Rulers P. C. have elected the following young men for their leaders: Leonard C. Buckner, president, Walter Goodwin, vice president, Gread Taylor, general manager, John Porterfield, secretary, Ike Colman, treasurer. Mrs. Malias Thomas is on the sick list at her home on South Farmer street. D. Taylor made a flying trip to Memphis on July 30. Master Clarence Taylor made quite a hit last week at Moore & Stants on Grove and Second N streets. Clarence is up to date in his line.

You never find some people out unti you call on them with a bill,



LOUIS W. MURRAY,
Descriptive Tenor Singer.

NORTHERNERS ON PAY-ROLL

JUDSON W. LYONS QUOTES A FEW FACTS IN REPLY TO ONE GEORGE C. GORHAM

LIBERAL SALARIES DRAWN

By Colored Men From Northern, Eastern and Western States, as Shown by Uncle Sam's "Blue Book"--No Sectional Questions Wanted

Staff Correspondence, Washington, D. C.

It is unfortunate in many respects, at this critical stage of our race development, that invidious comparisons have arisen in some quarters as to the relative degree of recognition that has come to Northern and Southern men respectively. Since the days when reconstruction was in operation, with the Southern Negro an important factor in the state government, the lion's share of the "plums" has been bestowed upon the leaders who had won their spurs on an advantageous field, who possessed claims which the party magnates could not refuse to honor. Even if electoral votes were a trifle "shy," the Bruces, Pinchbacks, Lynches, Hills, Lewises, Gibbses, Cuneys and others of that generation, when the South was the incubator of Afro-American statesmanship, exerted an influence in the party councils that few of the present era can duplicate. Hence, the Register of the Treasury, Recorder of Deeds, and auditorships etc., went in the direction of the states that were felt in the national conventions, as that was the place where the Negro held his greatest natural prestige. The delegates from the North were, almost without exception, white men. The Negro politicians of the North were generally taken care of locally, or secured places in Washington through the intercession of the Southern leaders.

Now, because the two big national offices are still held by Southern men, and electoral votes for a republican presidential candidate are farther off than ever, some usually very sensible Negroes are inclined to raise a fuss about it—some going so far as to say that the Northern Negro had furnished the country with a president and had gotten practically nothing in return. That this view is extreme goes without the saying. Southern men here have been discreetly silent, and the talk had died out apparently, until—lo and behold—a white man takes a hand in the deal and avers that the Northern Negro remains wedded to his republican idol, carrying doubtful states for the party, but being ignored when the "pie" is passed around. The hapless card-writer was George C. Gorham, a one-time republican and a high official in the House of Representatives. Mr. Gorham is now a democrat, and like the traditional new convert, in his zeal and enthusiasm, overstepped the line of safety, and ran afoul of the watchful eye of the Hon. Judson W. Lyons. Mr. Lyons had been "laying for" the right kind of victim, and was not sorry that so worthy a foeman invited his steel. He had his facts with him, and in the Washington Post of June 21st, the distinguished Register of the Treasury, offers the following convincing rebuttal of Mr. Gorham's statement and philosophy, and at the same time answers all others of either race who have been in agreement with the theory that the Northern Negro has been ignored in the matter of official recognition. To be sure the Northern Negro has not had half that is due him, that is true of the race everywhere and in every walk of life. Mr Lyons did not see fit to reply when the colored contingent was accused of waging war against Southern patronage, for the case never got beyond the rumor stage, and it was well known that John P. Green, Dr. Hamilton S. Smith, Lewis H. Douglass, Robert Pelham, Jr., Will Q Atwood, Geo W. Jackson and others prominently identified with the Green dinner and the organization of the Northern, Eastern and Western Association, had no sympathy with a movement that seemed to savor of sectional antagonism. The "hot heads" were quickly suppressed by the cool and level-minded leaders, and Messrs Lyons, Cheatham, Pinchback, White and other prominent Southerners see no reason to say anything about the matter. Gorham, however, furnished an opening to reach the solar plexus of this intricate question, and Mr. Lyons lets him have it like this:

Editor Post: In his letter to your paper yesterday, Mr. George C. Gorham, a gentleman famous for his stalwart Republicanism in years gone by, and equally renowned for his capability, used this remarkable language:

In the North the negro doubtless has the balance of power in several Republican States. By force of habit and veneration for Republican traditions he gives these casting votes to the Republican party, neither expecting nor receiveing any honorable consideration worthy of mention, or any other consideration fit to mention.

That Mr. Gorham may see that he is mistaken, I will call the roll of a few persons in public service from the States he refers to, and the positions filled and compensation:

William F. Powell, New Jersey, Minister to Hayti, $7,500.

H. W. Furniss, Indiana, consul, Bahia, Brazil, $2,603.

C. L. Maxwell, Ohio, consul, Santo Dominge $2, 472. 50,

George H. Jackson, Connecticut, consul, La Rochelle, France, $2,000.

R. T. Green, New York, consul, Vladivostock, Russia, $2 502.

Mahlon Van Horn, Rhode Island, consul St. Thomes, D. W. I., $2,865.

John P. Green, Ohio, United States stamp agent, $2,500.

Cyrus F. Adams, Illinois, Assistant Register United States Treasury, $2,250.

T. G. Steward, District of columbia, chaplin, United States army, $2,160.

George. W. Prioleau, Ohio, chaplin, United States army, $2, 160.

W. T. Anderson, Ohio, chaplin, United States army, $2, 160.

Edger Furbush, Northern States, secretary to minister to Hayti, $1,500.

Dr. A. W. Curtis, Surgen-in-cheif, Freedmen's Hospital, $3,000.

Total $32,672,50.

In view of this record and in view of his well known ability to discuss public questions in such a way as to sustain his contention. I am greatly surprised to see that Mr. Gorham could see nothing in these appointments ranging from Ministers Powell with a compensation of $7,500 per annum, down to a host of other gentlemen holding honorable appointments, with salaries running from $200 per month to $300 and more, "worthy of mention, or any other consideration fit to mention."

I do not include in this list any of the hundreds of worthy and deserving colored men employed in the departments here, with salaries from $1,000 to as high as $2,000 a year, all of whom, as a rule, owe their elevation to the Republican party. Nor have I mentioned the hundreds in the postoffices, customs offices and internal revenue offices in the various Northern States. I have simply dealt with the diplomatic and consular appointments. Were I to list them all it would take vastly more of your very valuable space than you would allow for this discussion.

As to the other matters referred to in Mr. Gorham's letter, suffice it for the present to say that man ever has been perfect and never will be; but be it remembered that those who made laws for the nation directly after the war were statesman and patriots, and no fair test yet has shown that they were less wise, less honest, and less devoted to the public good than their predecessors.

Mr. Lyons handles his contention well, and the salaries here shown to be drawn by Northern Negroes will open the eyes of a great many who have never considered that any office outside of the Registership of the Treasury or Recordership of Deeds was worth having. There are not only dozens of places that colored men of influence might secure, but Northern men have superior advantages in "landing" positions that have never been held by Negroes, as the atmosphere of the West, East and North should contain nothing that would discourage a congressman of those sections from recommending a Negro constituent for any place under the government, without jeopardizing his chances for re election by the people. The South deserves all that it has been able to pull out of the fire, and the North should go to work and hustle for the new openings that their suffrage gives them warrant to demand. No sectional atagonisms are wanted at this time, when unity and sympathy are so essential to progress. The sensible Northern leaders would not countenance it, and the few "smart Alecks" who have caused a temporary embarrassment in the relations of friends from the two sections, have wisely been squelched. While the Negro race is still in the middle of the raging stream, it ill-becomes any black man to rock the boat.

R. W. THOMPSON.

The Freeman will be on sale every Saturday at Arthur Falum's barbershop on Oak street Petersburg, Va.

B. SQUARE'S BLUSTER

The white American citizen of the North and West may have a burden to carry, but he certainly has a crime at his door—the crime of neglect. They are stronger in numbers and wealth than the disloyal whites of the South, and should rule the country, and see that the Constitution of the United States and its amendments (for which their sires and grandsires fought to establish) were not thrown to the dogs by the white people's second secession.

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An Appeal to the "Christian" White Voter of the North and West

As a christian and a citizen you have a grave responsibility upon your hands. Is it not high time you took a practical and intelligent interest in the affairs of your country?

Do you know that you are indirectly responsible in the eyes of God and the christian world for all the lynchings and other unlawful and disgraceful acts of your white brother in the South?

Do you know that the section that tried to destroy the country during the '60s, is doing it now?

Do you know that one ignorant white man in the "New South" counts as much as that of thirty educated white men in the North?" What are you going to do about it? Reduce Southern misrepresentation in congress!!

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The burden of the g. o. p. are the civil and political crimes of the South. It is a Republican president and congress that allows disfranchisement in the South. It is your congressman white republican citizen of the North, who allows their thousand votes in the South to count as much as thirty thousand in the North. "What are you going to do about it?"

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If the time has come when the Republican party dare not even seek to reveal the causes of so gross a usurpation of power and dislocation of government, the time has also come for that large, and we believe preponderant, portion of the Republican party not held together by the cohesive power of public plunder to disband.—The New York Press."

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At the annual Negro conference, held at Hampton, the other week the associated press dispatch says:

The address of the evening was delivered by William M. Reid, a young attorney of Portsmouth, Va., on "The Proposed Disfranchisement of the Negro."

The speaker said the extension of unlimited franchise to the newly emancipated slaves was a grave mistake. He added:

"The Negro has no cause for complaint in any impartial limitation of the suffrage; but whatever is done, he will be submissive, as he always has been, to the laws of the land in which he lives. He is of a buoyant disposition; he will not dispair; he has seen darker days with patience, with prudence and with intelligence. He will soon prove to the world that he is worthy of all the rights and privileges of an American citizen, and he will be accorded them at home and abroad."

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We want no more "race leaders" of the Wm. M. Reid stripe, we have to many now; too many "submissive" men are speaking for the race (or at least themselves.) We need brave fighters to lead, not cowardly compromisers.

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There is no compromise between right and wrong, and these Negroes of the rubber back bone type should keep in the back ground. I think it is a "grave mistake" to allow such fellows to live in the country, and that they would have "no cause for complaint" if kicked out.

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What has become of the pliant pen of Edward Elmore Brock?

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Don't vote for a congressman this fall unless the fellow promises to introduce a bill or vote for one reducing Southern misrepresentation.

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Don't write "a whole lot" about the matter act. Remember "talk is cheap."

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All persons whose letters have been overlooked in the past three weeks should write me again, (if correspondence was of importance to them) directing to 2130 Fulton street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Don't write unless you have business. Don't ask foolish questions, as I have no time to reply.

Society Notes

Okolona, Miss., Special.—A large number of Okolonians attended the association at West Point last Sunday. Among the number were Mesdames Bell and Crosby, Misses Esther B Gilliam and Rhoda Bell, Messrs. George Walker, John Henry Thomas, Charles Brame, John Wilder and John Brown. Miss Rosa Lee White entertained at her home Sunday evening; those present were Misses Cordelia Carter, Lillian Gray, Carrie Herndon, Maggie Miller, Mattie Racket, Rosa B. Haughton and Messrs. Will Wheeler, George Van hoose, Evans Johnson and Johnie White. Miss Lydia Campbell is attending the normal in Tupelo. Miss W. E. Kirksy left Tuesday for Prarie Mount; she will have charge of the high school there. Prof. G. M. Reese, of Meridian, was in the city last Friday. Miss Lillie B. Wheeler, of Prarie Mount, was the guest of Miss Katie Mae Carter last Sunday. Mrs. Bettie Fields and children and Misses Josie and Salina Ward, of McLemore, are visiting relatives. Rev. Bragg is conducting a revival at the Methodist church; it is hoped that many souls will be converted.

News Briefs

Hot Springs, S. D., Special.—Mrs. Bessie Linson has gone to St. Paul, Minn. Mrs. Ashford, wife of C. D. Ashford, head baker at the Evans hotel, has been quite ill for a week. Thomas Adams, better known as "Speck," has gone to his home in Chicago. Fred. Botts, of St. Joe, Mo., Tom Hood, of Spokane, Wash., and Harris Stamps, of Jacksonville, Ill., had a kick last week. If any young ladies want to marry they can find husbands out here, as there are 20 men to one women. Mrs. Alphonso Wilson and her little son are here from Omaha, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Moore, one of the leading families of this city. A colored barber shop would be a paying business here just now.

Brief Item

Roxie, Miss., Special.—The Mississippi Baptist convention held in Natchez, July 23 to 27 was quite a success; the amount of money raised up to Sunday morning was $1,980. This convention is the supporter of the Natchez college which reflects much credit on the colored people of the state. We should organize a business association in order to give our boys and girls something to do after they are educated.

MADAM M'NAIRDEE
Has Returned to the City.

The gifted Clairvoyant, the great female wonder, born with the double(caul) veil, she is one of the old ancient Southern Clairvoyants of New Orleans. She's a living Phrenologist and Physiogomist. She tells plainly what you are best adapted for in life by reading your brains and mind. With a grasp of her hand she gives you a coil of influence to enable you to overcome all bad luck. She has made thousands of homes happy. Read the fifth chapter ix verse of St. Matt: "Blessed are the peacemakers for they shall be called the children of God." She reunites the separated, makes peace where there is confusion. Your husband or wife will never become angry or your sweetheart forsake you. But will love you better and marry you sooner if you will only heed this lady's consultation. Read what several ladies of your city say "Yes, we believe her a Godsend to our city; my husband and I had been separated over a year and just think since I called on this lady, he returned today, we are together and happy." This young lady says: "The one loved refused to call or write me; I called on this lady and we are now engaged." You can't afford to miss consulting this gifted lady; she is gifted to read characters. She challenges the world to excell her advice on love, losses, business, family and

financial troubles. Re-unites the separate causes speedy marriage with the one of your choice. No cards allowed in her place of business; no one's ill wishes filled; strictly a Christian lady and depends entirely on her heavenly gift. If you are painful or ailing, think you have been witchcrafted go to see her. She spent eight years in the Jungles of Africa and has traveled through 34 states doing good wherever she went. Read St. John, 9th chap. 33d ver: "If this man is not of God he could do nothing.

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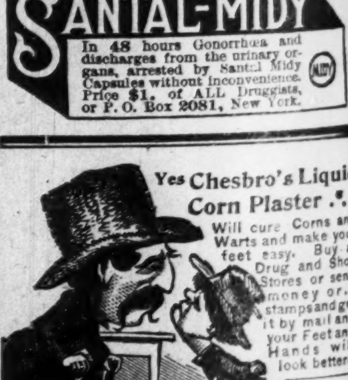

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I am forced to write this from seeing so much extravagance among my fellow waiters; not only waiters, but colored people generally are too much given to taking in cheap excursions or anything that seems cheap regardless of whether it is needed or not. Waiters, as a rule, have the reputation of being a hard lot which is, of course, not always true, notwithstanding we could be better, and the greatest avenue for bettering our present condition is along financial lines. Let us save our money, build homes (not too big to pay for, but something that is commensurate with our salary). Look at the foreigners who come to this country. Some come here before they can speak the English language, and before they are here five years their dollars are counted by the hundreds. Let us not be too proud to do hard work when necessity demands it. Some of us have so much mental learning that we are afraid to use the hands. It is a sad mistake; education was not intended to do that, but rather help the hand in whatever it found to do. It is true that I am a Southern boy, devoid of high education, but I am not afraid to work.

WILLIAM MCDEARMAN.

Notification.

To the Members of the H. and S. W. N. B. A., Greeting:

As The Freeman is the official organ of the association I take this opportunity to officially notify the members that I shall offer an amendment at the National Convention, which convenes in Buffalo, N. Y., September 23, 1901. The amendment will read:

Resolved, That the constitution and by-laws of the Head and Second Waiters Association be amended so that any reliable head, second or side waiter is eligible to membership in the H. and S. W. N. B. A.

I am aware that the proposed amendment will meet serious opposition, but I am fully convinced that the head and side waiters interest are one and the same, and I believe that the time has arrived when they should work in unison together. The colored headwaiters' success depends upon the employment of colored side waiters; without which he is doomed. The colored side waiter can exist without the colored headwaiter, but his progress can be materially aided by the assistance of competent colored headwaiters.

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In the middle of the picture are two figures, Justice and Liberty, in a chariot drawn by two large lions, denoting strength; grouped around on both sides of the chariot are the different States of the Union in figures of lovely women; on the right of the picture is Virginia, mother of the Union, pointing her finger over her shoulder to the father of our country, George Washington; in the top right hand corner is a host of angels driving out the evil spirits down to Hades; below we see the Indians coming from the darkness into the marvelous light; below in the corner is a scene that no one will ever forget that is a lover of liberty—it is the emancipation of our people, the shackles seem to burst asunder with the noble Abraham Lincoln on earth and God above; Henry Ward Beecher has a Bible in hand pointing to the God above and the king of kings, a figure representing Charles Sumner raising the black man to his feet, and Harriet Beecher Stowe is teaching them their A B C; crossing to the left of the picture, in the top corner, is a group of angels blowing their trumpets to the four wings of heaven, denoting peace and liberty to all mankind; below in the distance is ships coming in from every part of the world, bringing every nation and representing our commerce with the best on earth; a little in the front are emigrants landing and loading their teams, going to the West, finding for themselves a new home, waving their hats to justice and liberty so pleased that they are in sweet America; down in the corner of the left of the picture are the demons coming forth out of the swamps; Mars, the God of War, lies on the ground, and a broken cannon, signifying that the war is over and there is no more for him to do but die, so he is putting out his fires; in the center of the picture, down at the bottom, are figures of small children representing industry, literature, science and art. Any one that is a lover of pictures will be much benefited by this lovely piece of work. It enlightens and gives instruction to us as well as pleasure. One of the most interesting persons in Saratoga is Mr. Edwin Estelle (colored), living at 21 Cowin street. Mr. Estelle is 57 years of age, was born in the State of Louisiana, and was assigned to the 7th U. S. Regulars in 1862 at Fort Barnes, Fla., serving three years, and was in the most memorable battles of the great rebellion. To hear him tell the tales of Gettysburg, Bull Run, Fort Wagner and many others, with his marvelous escapes, is very interesting. Any one could listen to him for hours. The greatest of all of his fights was at Fort Wagner. When the people of the Union thought they would see if a black man had any courage or not. They all found that the decendants of old Ham was up to his white brother in anything that he knew. The charge on Fort Wagner will go down in history for countless ages, and all of the old veterans have answered taps and their last roll call to the Great Commander, the God of War. Out of Mr. Estelle's regiment of 1200 men at Fort Wagner, only about fifty were left to answer roll call in the morning. Only think of it—brothers and comrades falling and calling for help, chain shot cutting men down like grass—any one coming back from such a fearful sight, living forty years after, and able to do a good day's work, is surely worth the public's notice. "Upon the field of Gettysburg the summer sun was high; when freedom met her haughtiest foe under a northern sky." Among the heroes of that memorable battle we again find Mr. Estelle covered with dust and dirt with a hot July sun beaming down upon him. In that three day fight he sent many a man in a gray uniform to report to the Great Commander, the one that rules heaven and earth. The blue and gray will never forget that battle as long as they live. The Negro will always get a piece of it, for where the powder was burning he has proven to the world that he is trustworty and never asleep on duty. Mr. Estelle is hale and hearty, and can do a good day's work. May he live to be a good old age, and when done on earth may he be in the great line of battle where the blue and the gray will be as one, and old comrades will shake hands and part no more under the all-seeing eyes of the greatest of all commanders the God of glory. Charles A. Lett, well known in New York, is in town, and has made many friends. Both cottages of James E. Pleasant are now open for the season. One is rented to Mr. J. Mosley. The arrivals at James C. Pleasant's cottage are Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, Miss Addie Thompson, Miss Fred Ricker James, of New York City, Miss Molly Brown and friend of Philadelphia, Pa., W. W. Garris of Newark, N. J. Among the many head hall men in Saratoga this season are C. R. Tronson, hall man, C. Colstin and W. R. Gordon, captains, are in charge at Congress hall. Mr. Tronson is a young man 25 years old, with one of the highest reputations as head hall man, having served as same among the leading hotels throughout the country, and having fulfilled his positions satisfactorily both to his men and employers, it is sincerely hoped he will prove the same to these.

Roy Streeter, formerly of Denver, Col., and a waiter at the Evans hotel, Hot Springs, S. D., has won honors in the prize ring. He will fight "Kid" Hogan, August 10th for the championship of South Dakota. The waiters are backing him up with their "coin."

H. H. Taylor, of Omaha, Neb., and W. M. Burks, of Clarksville, Texas, are new acquisitions to the dining room crew of the Evans, Hot Springs, S. D.

Capt. Clanton Davie, the popular and progressive headwaiter at the Pine Bluff Inn, Point Pleasant, N. J., will return to the South about September 15. He will be located at Augusta, Ga.

Wm. C. Ross is the headwaiter at the Wiltshire, Atlantic City, N J. Mr. Ross was formerly of Cincinnati, and will return to the Queen City in September.

The Waiters' League will hold their first convention in Chicago the first week in May, 1902.

R. W. Jefferson is now head chef at the Hotel Detroit, Buffalo, N. Y. He is from Chicago.

H. Alf. Kelly is the estimable headwaiter at the St. Charles hotel, Toledo, O. The St. Charles is the leading hostelry of Toledo, and Mr. Kelly and his crew are giving satisfaction.

News in General

Nashville, Tenn., Special.—Mr. Chas. Walker of 26 Claiborn street, who scalded his foot several weeks ago at the Baber restaurant, is getting out again. Mr. McWhirter, the stonemason, who resides at the corner of Warn and Jefferson streets, was sun struck a few days ago while working on the new electric plant on Front street. He was resting very well the first of the week. Mrs. Lizzie Jackson of N. Spruce street, has left for a month's vacation, and will return by way of Buffalo, N. Y. Miss Mattie Maurly of 906 Jackson St., is on the sick list. Rev. Mrs. Burns gave a very interesting lecture at 1253 S. College street, last week, to women only. Miss Seleka Vaughn of Murfreesboro, is visiting her cousin, Miss Sammie E. Harrison at 1301 W. Jefferson street. Mrs. Adaline Hampton of N. Florence street, is on the sick list. Mr. Andrew Phillips of Florence street, has been an employe of the city water-works department for eighteen years. His services are very valuable to the city. Miss Blackwell a popular school teacher of our city, has had a very nice addition made to her home, 39 Maple St. Miss Selia Rohelia, formerly of the Industrial School, is now teaching in Pittsburg, Texas, and will not return this summer as was expected. Among the many men who begun business with a few pennies within their pockets none have made a more steady increase than H. G. Glenn, 640 Whetmore street. He cleans and dyes clothes equal to some of the oldest tailoring establishments in our city, and has a No. 1 factory at the above named place. Rev. Sutton E. Griggs, the pastor of the First Baptist church of East Nashville, has written a book entitled "Overshadowed," from which he has gained a wide-spread reputation as an author and a deep thinker. S. A. Dickerson, who has been sick for over a year, is resting about as well as could be expected. Miss Phœbe Ann Dodson of 806 Monroe street, is on the sick list. Mrs. July Terry of 1024 N. Cherry street, has been very ill also. Prof. Sumner, for years a teacher in the public schools of Nashville, and a member of several secret organizations, died last week after a very long illness. The funeral took place at St. Paul church, Monday, July 29. Charles McGavock, one of the best shoemakers in the South, has removed from 512 Cedar street to Joe Johnson avenue. Mr. McGavock has the honor of making some of the most complicated shoes for deformed people in the city, and one of the smallest pair of shoes also. Mrs. Young of Fairmount street, has returned from her visit to Decatur, Ala. J. Ira White, formerly a student of Walden University this city, is spending his vacation in Detroit, Mich.

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News Notes

Athens, O., Special.—The lawn outing last Thursday, given under the auspices of the ladies of the Sunday school, was quite an enjoyable affair and a financial success. Miss Hattie Hawk of Berlin is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawk. Several of our young people attended the picnic at Parkersburg on the 1 inst. Paul Hall was in the city on a short visit; he is a half-brother of E. C. Berry, the proprietor of Hotel Berry, who is one of the very small number of our race that is blessed with a great portion of this world's goods, and who has not neglected his religious duties, nor in any way deprived his race of the hospitality of his house. He is a man with rich endowments from nature, which were strengthened and beautified by study and observation; in manner he is frank and courteous; in learning solid and varied; in mind quick of apprehension and of discrimination; in heart affectionate and of warm impulses to the unfortunate; a friend of the church; a devout member of the race; a great leader. Mrs. Mattie Berry, his wife, is an accomplished lady and adds greatly to the success of Mr. Berry.

Late Literary Notice.

When THE COSMOPOLITAN, in its April number, published an essay, at once clever and philosophic, on "The Ideal Wife," a demand was created for a paper on "The Ideal Husband" by the same author—Lavinia Hart. The August Cosmopolitan contains an essay on this subject—on which few people agree—which is certain not only to prove widely interesting, but to cause lively discussions. In the same number Mrs. Van Rensselaer Cruger (Julien Gorden) tells the story of the life of the French wife with all its tragic commonplace narrowness. "The woman of small capacity puts up with, and, prehaps, does much toward maintaining present conditions," says the author, "but there are women of brains who die at an early age of no disease known to doctors, but simply from utter weariness."

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THE NEGROES ARE THINKING.

It is very evident that the Negroes are doing considerable thinking owing to the growing sentiment in favor of disfranchisements. The mass meeting held in Washington City a few days ago plainly indicated the disturbed feeling owing to the situation. The meeting, if properly reported, was a spirited affair. Thinking people, out of Washington's numerous thousands, speak of nothing but indifference to the racial weal. Some will hold it useless to meet to condemn the white folks, since the results of such demonstrations in the past are known. It may be so. But it should not be felt that all mass meetings are for the sole purpose of condemning the white folks. It will not hurt to call meetings in which lessons of interest, addresses, etc., might be uttered to the race, calling its attention to the declination of rights and privileges, exhorting it to a fuller sense of its own duty. We still insist that in this fiery ordeal there is some provocation. Unwillingness to admit this will be construed as benightment or proverseness, either of which does not help the matter, because a common ground of understanding is not reached. The few are all right; all admit it. But the Negro masses must come a long "ways" yet It is they who, in their turbulent majority, reduce the racial status to an average that is so decidedly low.

We as a race are inclined to feel that the white man is against us naturally. It is true to some extent, but we have great reason for thinking that the white man thinks more of law abiding, tax-paying, own business attending, intelligent Negro citizens than he does of that heathenish set that round up on election day for a stipulated per capita. It may be that the white man is jealous of Negro precocity, etc, but rather think the thing is overworked. It is not towards the class cited above, the better class, that he hurls his malediction; it is against that very class that the Negroes themselves, the better ones, are learning to fear.

It is true that the whites seem to crowd back the Negro leaders politically, but why? It is their constituency, the Negro rabble, that is aimed at. It will matter but little how competent the representative may be, nor how much of a gentleman, it is one and the same, for behind the representative stands these same masses, which in a representative, republican government equals ruling by these masses through their representatives. Self respecting men of either race resent this when they figure down to the rulers defacto.

While no Negro will favor disfranchisements yet, if the Negroes see only race in the matter, and never conditions, the whites will instinctively act together owing to the Negroes obtuseness along the lines of political and moral philosophy. The Negro will be forced into the discrimination business themselves before long. They are in it now; but not altogether in the right direction.

The Negro leaders will rapidly be appreciate in the estimation of the whites if they would appeal to the Negroes on the lines cited, arousing them to their duty, for far too plain is it evident that the great body of our race moves on unvexed by political or social ostracism, and in fact courting it by setting up in opposition, unconsciously, perhaps, to the great unwritten laws governing society in such matters.

The little flurry created by the announcement of a Negro lynched, or another State gone wrong on the elective franchise business, will amount only to a flurry, if the great masses are not moved to their very depths. As it is, it results in deeper resentment; then its "On with the dance," after the momentary flurry. These are not interested in the cause for larger rights and liberties, but yet are the very cause of its lack. Back to their hog and hominy they go; some cursing their fate, others indifferent, while the very few give heed to the great underlying cause. How to save these heedless ones is the question—these who can read, yet do not read—unconscious of the racial struggle, making disfranchisements easy and even desirable. Can these be quickened? Can anything do it? We despair.

Lynchings and disfranchising are becoming popular institutions, if we may call them such. They will continue to grow in favor until the Negroes themselves take the matter in hand. The Negroes, the leaders, acknowledge the great deterring influences at work amid the race, but counsel silence because, as they insist, these things should not be advertised. But under such circumstances there could come no salvation. No material salvation without confession as there can come no spiritual salvation without confession.

The darker growing days are held as the forerunners to light, the harbinger of day, but day nor light will never come unless there exists the elements and those employed—the conditions. The natural laws of adjustment will be carried out, that is to say, things will be rightened when conditions are rightened, not a day before. All the Negroes must be as good as all the white folks in every respect before they may expect the great balance wheel of justice to revolve in their favor. There will be no reservation, no provisoes, no nothing but absolute fitness to live and enjoy the rights, benefits and protection of a common country. This will be the racial mullenium, a dream, perhaps, never to be realized; but, for all that, it must come or else there remains but one fate, fixed as the stars in their course, the Negroes, the caste class of America.

We find, on further examination, that our recent editorial on the Alabama franchise law referred more to the temporary plan than to the permanent plan, which provides for registering and voting. There is a temporary plan which provides for a board of registrars and also for a "semi-grandfather clause." We speak of "semi-grandfather clause" because the descendants are restricted to those of soldiers who fought in all wars. These two bad features, however, are to continue in operation only until January, 1903. At the end of this time both races will be placed upon the same basis. There is nothing in the Alabama plan which will prevent any colored man who can read and write or who pays taxes on $300 worth of property from voting freely at all elections. There are other avenues provided by which he can vote, but these two present, it seems to us, the most definite and sure plan for voting. The scheme, on the whole, while containing the objectionable features, is better than is provided for in the constitutions of the State of Mississippi, Louisiana and South Carolina, and in one or two respects better than North Carolina.

The New England delegation will go to the National Negro Business League which is to meet in Chicago, August 21, 22 and 23, in a body in a special Pullman coach, as will also the Alabama and Florida delegations. The meeting promises to be full of interest from beginning to end. This is as it should be. No movement among our people will do more than this effort to emphasize the necessity of, and stimulate strong business enterprises.

Reduced rates of one and one-third fare on the certificate plan have been secured from all sections of the country. The meeting will be held at Handell Hall, 46 and 48 Randolph street Chicago, Ill. Persons desiring information regarding hotel accommodations, boarding houses etc., may write Mr. L. G. Wheeler, 119 Dearborn street Chicago.

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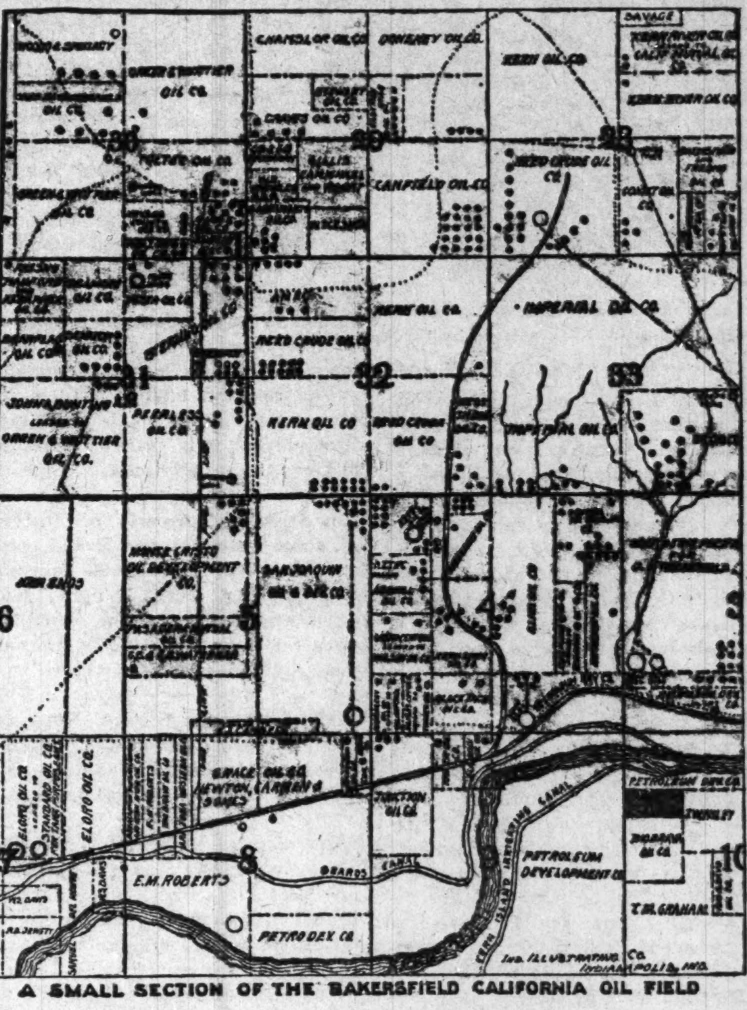

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MEMPHIS HERALD

Interesting News Items From a Thriving Southern City--A Well Deserved Respite Granted---Resolutions

An Appeal to Mob Violence--Church's Auditorium Very Fine

Memphis, Tenn., Special.—Whereas R. R. Church has kindly donated the use of his beautiful and spacious auditorium for the purpose of holding the various mass meetings in the interest of the Christian Mission Industrial School.

Resolved, That we turn to him and family our heartfelt thanks.

Resolved, Further that we thank those who have so kindly given us their presence, words of encouragement, donations and subscriptions to help carry on the work in hand. Be it further

Resolved, That we heartily thank the managers of The Indianapolis Freeman for space given, and we especially thank Prof. E. W. Saddler, the able Memphis editor, for valuable comments given, and the interest he has taken in our work.

Rev. T. A. Brown, M. D., D. P., E. N. Brown, L. Box, F. McNeil, J. A Hooks, Secretary of the Board of Incorporators.

Mrs. Ellen Davis departed this life Monday, July 29 and was buried Wednesday from Avery chapel, where she was a faithful worker for Christ. She leaves behind many fond relatives to mourn their loss. Mrs. Frank Green of 692 Georgia street, who has been sick for about three weeks, is much better.

Morgan & Carlisle, dealers in stoves of every description; repairing neatly done at reasonable prices, 189 Beale street.

H. Flimmings, dealer in fine notions, will remove his business to a larger building owing to the increase in trade, at 59 Main street.

The Freeman is on sale at this office, 27 Turley street, or Smith's cafe, 142 Beale street, and King I Chambers' Art Co, 189 Beale street.

The Knights of Tabor will give a grand picnic to Rossville, Tenn., Monday Aug. 12

Miss Lizzie Ross arrived home from Kansas City, where she went to visit friends. She will leave on another trip in a few weeks.

Prof. S S. Brown, one of our most prominent citizens, and a young man of great qualifications, has purchased for $900 the beautiful residence formerly owned by Mrs. Fannie Pickett. He will make a great many improvements in the near future, then this will be as handsome as any in the city owned by our people.

The governor has granted a respite for 90 days the death sentence of John Shaw, who is charged with rape on a white girl. The white citizens here petitioned the governor in his behalf. He would have hanged Aug 6. Avery chapel was asked by Shaw to pray for him, and the church responded nobly.

The theatre going public among our people have a rare treat in the way of a first-class ragtime opera at Church's Auditorium, under the management of the popular Lew Hall. Each week the act is changed. The entire company is simply grand. Among the celebrities it is well to mention Miss Ella Carr, song and dance artist; Miss Pearl Crawford, late of Loudan's Jubilee Singers of London, Eng., in classic selections; John Green, king of colored comedy; the act of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Williams wins rounds of applause. Each number is simply grand. Mr. Church deserves the patronage of all those who appreciate theatre going, as he has spared no pains to make this the greatest place of amusement in the city. He intends to book such companies as Williams & Walker if the colored people will only lend their support, and will stop going to white theatres to be placed in the buzzard roost.

Murders, it seems, are on the increase in this city, people on every hand are taking the lives of their fellowmen. In the last week no less than five were committed. Mobs over the country are killing our men and our men are killing their own women at a terrible rate. A woman on Georgia street was stabbed to death by a man last week, and a few days ago the ghastly remains of one murdered, it seems by her husband, was found out on Raleigh road. The very hands which ought to give protection to these women are the first to strike them down.

We ask the mobs at Carrolton, Miss., to, for God's sake, spare the women and children.

The prettiest park in the country for and controlled by Negroes, is that of R. R. Church's.

Miss Fannie C. Herrington, of Morris Brown College, Atlanta, Ga., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elnora Williams, 451 Linden street.

Master Sherman G. King, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. King, 350 Dunlap street, is visising Dr. M. V. Lynk at Jackson, Tenn.

Mr. Fred Clemmons is very ill at his home, 149 Brinkley avenue.

Mrs. Walter R. McCorkle and son, Master James, of 363 Ayer street, left Saturday, Aug 3, via Iron Mountain route for Morrilton, Ark., to visit relatives and friends.

Thieves entered the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Williams, 338 Desota street, and secured a handsome gold watch and a good sum of money. They then proceeded next door to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Buford, where they relieved them of a gold watch and other valuables. They made their enterance through windows that were left open during the heated speel.

Rev. M. F. Fulfurd is now sojourning at Castillian Springs, Miss. He will soon rejoin Mrs. Fulfurd in this city.

The blind Williamson family, a fine musicale quartette, was heard with delight at Avery Chapel this week.

Miss Eliza Saffrans has regained her health after a long illness.

The Memphis Progressive Association, W. J. Pope, president; Wm. Dixon, secretary and P. Nicholson, treasurer, gave one of the swellest picnics of the season at Church's Park, Monday, July 29. Music for the concert was furnished by the Peerless Young Men's band in mighty union with the New Orleans band, which was simply grand. The spacious building was packed with ladies and gentlemen of culture and refinement. The program consisted of addresses by the president, W. J. Pope, and G. H. Bowles. Each speaker proved himself a good logician. Prof. Charles Bynum's band furnished the music for those who tripped the fantastic toe.

Mr. Isiah Crawford and Miss Willie E. Works were married Wednesday night, July 31, 1901, at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Allen, 986 Lula avenue, Klondyke. The bride is one of the most charming young ladies of that vicinity, and was handsomely dressed in a white organdie draped with braid, roses and white satin ribbon. The groom was handsomely dressed also They were united at 9:30 by Rev. Wm. Christian. The bridesmaid, Miss Lula May Cox, wore a pretty white organdie over pink. The best man, Mr. Stoney Mutra, was dressed for the occasion. After the marrige refreshments were served in the latest style. There were a large number of relatives and friends to witness the ceremony. A great many presents were given. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Crawford a long and happy life.

The various clubs of the Metropolitan Baptist church raised a magnificent sum of money to help in its indebtedness These faithful workers deserve much praise for their earnestness in the christian cause.

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RICHARDS & PRINGLE'S GEORGIA MINSTRELS.—Kamloops, B C, Can, Aug 13; Ashcroft, 14; Vancouver, 15,16; Nanaimo, 7

W. I. SWAIN'S ORIGINAL NASHVILLE STUDENTS, (enroute Pawnee Bill's Wild West Show.)—Tuscola, Ills, Aug 12; Sullivan, 13; Taylorville, 14; Virginia, 15; Petersburg, 16; Farmer City, 17

"LADY AFRICA."—Revere, Mass, Crescent Gardens, 11-17

HUNN & EATON'S BIG COON CARNIVAL.—Barre, Vt, Aug 12 to 18; St Albans, 19 to 25

HARRISON BROS'. NEW AND ANCIENT SOUTH.—Bellaire, Mich, Aug 10; Elk Rapids, 12

SLAYTON JUBILEE SINGERS.—Lincoln, Neb, Aug 6-12

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Louie Trevan and Wm. Goodloe are in Hot Springs; they send regards to all.

Albert Johnson filled a four days' Chautauqua engagement at Dixon, Ill., this week.

The Standard Quartette opened Aug. 4 in San Francisco, having left Chicago for the engagement on a hurry call.

Gentlemen engaged for the King & Bush's big colored minstrels will please report Aug. 20 for rehearsals at Birmingham, Ala.

Fred Douglas, after an extended visit to relatives and friends in St. Louis, returned to New York Aug. 5; he sends regards to friends.

Jim Crosby, comedian, has joined the Black Patti Troubadours for the coming season. They open at Newburg, N. Y., Aug. 14.

McKanlass The Great writes that his company is doing well at Milwaukee, and that their engagement there will last until Sept. 1, after which they will take the road.

J. H. Hearde writes that he will spend the remainder of summer on his chicken ranch at Tacoma, Wash. He sends regards to all friends, and best wishes for The Freeman.

R. C. Campbell, comedian, writes that he will likely visit Indianapolis this season, while enroute to the East. He is an organizer of dramatic clubs, and is successful in that line.

Toledo is acknowledged by the masses an exceptionally clever juggler; he has added many original and novel features to his act for next season with Rusco & Holland's Big Minstrel Festival.

Prof. Abe Adams's colored orchestra of Louisville, who, for the past three seasons, has furnished music for the French Lick Springs Co., has been supplanted by a white orchestra.

Clarence Powell was called to his home at East Orange, N. J., July 28 to the bedside of his sick mother, who since is much improved. Mr. Powell returned to Boston to join the "Lady Africa" Co.

Mamie Anderson, Fannie Winfred, Helen Berkley and Maggie Davis, all members of the "Lady Africa" Co., while in bathing at Rocky Point, R. I., during their engagement there, were severely stung by jelly fish.

Frank Clermont, cernetist, is at 917 Baltimore ave., Kansas City, Mo., the guest of Henry Patton. He will again be with Gideon's minstrels this season. He sends regards to Jas. Tucker, Julius Glenn, George Bailey, Biller Miller and all New York and Coney Island friends.

Daniel E. Washington, stage manager of Pawnee Bill's concert company, writes.—Manager W. I. Swain was married last Saturday; our show business is good. Dave Jackson and Ganbetta Garrett, of the Harrison Bros.' minstrels, joined us at Mendota, Ill., also Mr. and Mrs. Lev. Davy joined us last week. Regards to all.

"Lady Africa," the big colored singing production which opened at Providence, R. I., recently, has met with great success, and is said to be the best colored singing show on the road. The company is playing Boston this week, filling a short run at the Point of Pines. The entire company leaves for the West this fall, under direction of Al. and Mamie Anderson. Best regards to our friends.

Armstrongs, mystifiers, J. Hartford Armstrong manager, are having a successful tour through the coal fields of West Virginia; they are booked solid in the Virginias till second week in November, thence to Interstate and West Indian Exposition, Charleston, S. C., for fifty performances, thence to East Florida for remainder of winter season; they send regards to Clarence Powell, Harry Craton and Bobby Kemp.

Notes from Wm. Hallback's Minstrel Jubilee Co.—The show opens season at Jackson, Miss., Sept. 2 with some of the best musicians, comedians and dancers in the biz; show booked solid for 28 weeks, opening 15 opera houses; company numbers 25, carrying 14-piece band and 8-piece orchestra; two novelties in street parade. Watch for the big ad. in The Freeman. Regards to Clarence Powell, Ray Trusty, Herbert LaShe and all friends and K. of P's.

Notes from Inman's Casino, Coney Island, N. Y.—Our show, which is under the direction of Richard Franklin, is headed by the Grundy Trio, they are singing with success all of the latest coon songs. Bradford and Carter and pickaninnies are big favorites. Coats and Coates and "Dick" Franklin are as clever as ever. Our bevy of singers is composed as follows: Misses Eva Fuller, Tina Russell, Maggie Taylor, Ella Anderson, Apes Euscher and Arnold Duncan.

Notes from "A Holiday in Coontown" Co.—Messrs. Tanner and Wilson have just placed a contract for new scenery, the same will be original and in conformation with our title. Manager Wilson has gone to Benton Harbor, Mich., to be gone until about Sept. 20. Additional attractions are: Lotto, the human arrow, who will give public exhibitions before each performance, and Verano, the aerialist. Everything is going along nicely; our opening will be announced later.

Notes from Lawrence's Pavillion, Coney Island, N. Y.—The Black Smiths, John H., and Pearl E., still head the bill. The company is as follows: Etta Gross, Helen Marshall, Hattie Bluford, Laura Bowie, Essie Williams, Tina Gillam, Louise Harris, the Robinson Sisters, Martha Johnson, Minnie Brown, Helen Snowden, Susie Brown; the comedians are "Slim" Morgan, Billy Watts, Jno. Edwards, William Purnell W. F. Ford and Prof. Castor. John H. Smith is our stage director.

Cicero Reed and Miss Rosa Roy, one of Knoxville, Tenn's most popular belles, were married July 31 at residence of the groom's mother, 2442 Dearborn street, Chicago. Among the most intimate friends present were: Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Craig, Mr. Proctor and Miss Bessie Hamilton, Lawrence Chenault, Mr. Green, Miss Inez Pittman, Miss Elnore, Miss Ethel Leath, Miss Annie Terry and brother, James Hill and mother and Mrs Scioto Bell. An enjoyable evening was spent by the merry pleasure seekers. They received some handsome presents.

W. M. Mack writes from Birmingham, Ala.—Since Lew Hall's Ragtime Opera Co., left our city we have not had any special attractions in our beautiful park. I cannot understand how such an elaborately furnished park can stand idle for a week. The King & Bush big colored minstrels will occupy those unexcelled quarters for their rehearsals. From the way these gentlemen and their white manager are spending time and money, I don't think their is a show of its kind to equal them. Theatrical people in all classes should never fail to ask for Chas. Turner, the famous entertainer of the state, when in the city.

Notes from Harrison Bros.' minstrels.—We are still in Michigan and packing them at both performances. At Alma, Mich., we played 3 weeks behind Rusco & Holland's minstrels and two days behind Golmar Bros.' circus, and we turned them away. W. J. Elliott, our ticket seller, has returned, and all were glad to see him; he has charge of the company, as Col. Hugh Harrison has gone to Philadelphia for a 10 days' rest. The Harrises, Clemo and Flozo, are busy rehearsing a new act, which promises to be a winner. James Harrison is busy with books routing the show. W. S. LeVard, our stage manager, is still hitting them hard with monologues. All send regards to friends. The ghost is walking so I must close.

Notes from the Exchange Garden theatre, Jacksonville, Fla., direction of Prof. J. M. Robinson, Jr.—We are still in the lead with fresh ones; "Trixie" Ford opened on the 16 ult. and is making good. Misses Carrie Hall and Jessie Thomas are introducing late songs weekly and have the house with them. "Chink" Floyd is back again, after a few months' stay on the Southern circuit; he is quite a favorite here. Bill Reeves, the original comedian, has won for himself much comment. We change program weekly and give the patrons a good, clean show. The electric fans are of great service this time of year, and we do not fail to keep them in use. Regards to the profession.

Notes from Jas. P. Morgan's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Co.—We are doing big business through New York state, and Mr. Morgan looks pleasant every Monday; the boys all seem to be pleased; the company numbers 65 people including canvass men. Our colored people are: Ollie and Tillie Shelton, who were recently married at Salem, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Paul, Bill Wilkins, Carrie Clark, Bill and Lula Nash and four "picks." Mr. and Mrs. Shelton and Bill Wilkins leave the 12 inst. for Wilmington, Del., where they open with Al. W. Martin's "U. T. C." Co. This trio is making good. Mr. Shelton is writing two songs, entitled "The Flowers that I brought from mother's grave," and "Are you going to be a nigger all you days." They send regards to Marsh Craig and wife, the Dorsey family and The Freeman force.

GREATER NEW YORK.—Will Marion Cook's big Negro opera company is rehearsing here the "The Cannibal King." Quite a number of tuneful airs are already being whistled by the members of the aggregation. "The Cannibal King" is a comic opera in two acts, the music by Will Marion Cook and Willis Accooe, with lyrics by Bob Cole and Rosamond Johnson. The following clever people are in the cast: Bob Cole Ernest Hogan, Hen Wise, Billy Johnson, Coley Grant, Rosamond Johnson, Theo. Pankey, Lewis Salisbury, Reginald Burleigh, "Kid" Frazier, Abbie Mitchell Cook, Ada Walker, Kate Milton, Mamie Grant, Muriel Ringold, Cecil Watts, Anna Cook, Mollie Dill, Odessa Warren, Nellie Dancy, Midget Price, Gertie Peterson, Geo. Archer, John Boyer, The Alabama Comedy Four and a chourus of forty well trained voices. They will open at one of the Broadway theatres about August 15 J. F. De Lyons, the phenomenal basso, has signed with Cushman, Holcombe & Curtis for the coming season, appearing with them in vaudeville in a big act. It is rumored that Dan and Lizzie Avery have decided to live in the future as two. Grant and Grant, in a new act, were big cards at the Atlantic Garden last week. John Rucker, the "Alabama Blossom" who has been engaged as leading comedian, this season, with the Black Patti Troubadours, is in the city. John is sure to make good with this aggregation. Miss Beatrice Coats has left for Tampa, Fla, where she joins Chappelle's "A Rabbit's Foot" company. Gladys DeMarco goes with the Black Patti Troubadours this season. Erb Robinson is in town from Atlantic City. He is accompanied by William Crutchfield. Simpson and Pittman are now in their third week at Dietrick's Casino. Miss Florine B. Wallace, comedienne, was in the city Sunday. She left Monday for Baltimore, where she is filling a four weeks' engagement. The Black Patti Troubadours are rehearsing here. Quite a number of the old favorites are still with the show, among them being James Crosby, Will Cook, James Lightfoot, Leslie Triplett, Ida Forceu and Mattie Phillips. Allie Brown, the sensational slack wire artist, is filling an engagement with John Bailey's big colored show on the pier at Bergen Beach. Frank Sutton and Arthur Coates, of the Golden Gate Quartette, spent several days in the city last week. The quartette goes with Rush's show this season. "Boomski," Herrmann the Great's assistant, left for Chicago Sunday morning, where the show will open its season. Phil Miller's "Hottest Coon in Dixie" company began rehearsals Monday at the American theatre. Ida and Wesley Hill have closed an engagement of eight weeks at Lawrence's Pavillion, Coney Island. Annie Ross Williams, wife of George Williams, of the team of Smart and Williams, has signed with the Williams and Walker company for the coming season. The colored contingent of Callahan's "Coon Hollow" company, is composed as follows: Al. Butler, Alberta Asher, Royal Jenkins, Chauncey Green, Sam Gaines, Walter Emory and Kid Asher. They left Sunday for Baltimore for rehearsals. The Grundy Trio goes with the "Big Sensation" company again this season.—J. HARRY JACKSON.

Buffalo News.

Buffalo, N. Y., Special.—The T. O. C. club meets next Monday night. The young people are having a good time at these meetings. The Mystic Shriners gave a ball Monday evening, August 5, at Lyric hall, to entertain the many friends visiting the Pan-American Exposition and attending the convention being held here. The Shriners have had a big week. Last night fifteen new members were made. They are contesting for the race across the desert The Daughters of Spinx have been busy preparing new daughters for Spinx quarters. The week was a busy one in great anticipation for the Shriners. The big picnic of the head and second waiters met the great midway day at the Pan-American, and I must say I think all have been rewarded Hon. William Barlet has his hands full now a days entertaining his many friends visiting these many different functions. The popular club at 79 Williams street, Messrs. Glasco & Wallace proprietors, is one the young people of Buffalo should be proud of. It is well kept in its many different departments. Midway day was a momento to the waiters. More than 114,000 people entered the grounds. But little did the companies realize in the higher class restaurants out of it, and the waiter had plenty of work to do. I am proud the good waiters adhered to their feelings. There were not enough colored waiters idle to replenish the many restaurants, so they had to mix up white and colored together.

Newsy Notes.

Palestine, Tex., Special.—Mrs. Wm. Hallam, daughter and son have moved back here. Read The Freeman only 5 cents a copy. Melvin Lancaster has arrived from Marlin, Tex. Jack Miller is convalescent. Henry Jackson of Troup, is in the city. Archie Dudley is bell-hop at the Nolen. Miss Maggie Roberts left for Dallas Monday night. Rev. Daly filled his pulpit on 21 ult. to a large congregation. Miss Mary Kimble is in the city working in the interest of Hearn academy. Joe Green passed through the city from San Antonio, enroute to St Louis. Geo. Butler has accepted a position as waiter at the Tremont hotel. Clarence Walton has accepted a position as chair car porter from San Antonio to St. Louis. C. W. Wilson was called to Huntsville on account of the illness of his mother. Chas. Jones, of Longview, was in the city.

Items of Interest.

Albany, Ga., Special.—Mrs. Jannie Theresa Lee was born near Americus, Ga., April 30, 1855. She died July 30, 1901. She was educated at Atlanta University. She was converted in 1872 at the age of 17, and lived a consistent Christian life for twenty-nine years. She was married to Mr. J. H. Lee in 1875, and they lived happily together, three sons, Charles Walter, Joseph H. and Maurice O., was the result of the union. We extend our heart felt sympathy to the bereaved family and friends. Mr. H. H. Williams made a flying trip to Savannah last week. He reports having a pleasant time. The members of the C. M. E. church have given Rev. I. Braddy a month's vacation. Mr. Mat Lang made a business trip to Leary last week. Mr. W. H. Phipps who has been sick of fever is up again. Mr. R. C. Thomas who has been sick for sometime is out again. We will send you The Freeman now until further notice on year for $1.00. Subscribe, in case you do not see us drop us a card and we will call to see you.

Eagle Pass Notes.

Eagle Pass, Tex., Special.—Rev. Tyler of Delrio, Tex., was in our city this week and on last Sunday and Wednesday nights delivered eloquent sermons to large and appreciative audiences. He left for other points Thursday. The water melon feast given at the residence of Mrs. Minnie P. Smith was quite a jovial affair.

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Mrs. Charles Austin has gone to the ranch for her health. Mrs. Mary White of San Antonio, Tex., is visiting her neice Mrs. W. G. Thomas of this city. Mr. Jesse Dimry who has been on the sick list for quite a while is out again. Every body that reads The Freeman take heed to what it preaches. We have about eight regular readers of The Freeman in our town and I would be glad if every person in town would get it and read it.

Carrollton News.

Carrollton, Mo., Special.—Misses Bessie and Susie Jackson left recently for Jacksonville, Ill., to visited their uncle. Miss Adder Oliver is on the sick list. The L. M. S. C., was entertained last evening at the resident of Mrs. Titus. Mr. Crawford Crutcher is building a new room he is a reader of The Freeman. Mr. Floyd McKinzie has moved from the Wabash.

Columbus News.

Columbus, Ga., Special.—The literary entertainment given for the benefit of the opening Gems No. 80, of I. O. I., under the management of Miss M. E. Austin, mother superior, at her home Tuesday evening proved to be a grand success. Exercises were carried out very creditably by those who took part each part was well rendered. The engagement of Miss Albertha H. Holsey and Mr. A. Linton Roseborough is announced to take place at Americus Aug. 14. Miss Holsey is a beautiful young woman and a social favorite in Americus. Both young people have many friends in Columbus who are interested in the announcement. Read The Freeman for the latest news. We are told that wedding bells will ring on Upper 3rd. Ave., soon. Miss Viola Hal has returned to the city after a pleasant visit to Savannah. Mrs. Ella McNeal went down to Glennville Saturday to visit her mother. Mrs. Jno. W. Payne and Miss M. E. Austin left Monday for Huntsville, Ala., to attend the 6th Biennial Supreme convention of I. O. I. Mr. B. D. Rollin of Troy, Ala., spent a few days in the city this week. Mrs. W. E. Clark after visiting friends in Savannah, Americus and Cuthbert returned home Tuesday. Mr. S. W. Lewis of Greenwood, S. C., who is head waiter at Warm Springs this season was in the city Friday on a business trip. Mr. Riley K Paschal has been appointed head waiter at the Rankin House. Mr. Wm. Drakes resigned to accept a position at Fort Valley. Any news of interest for The Freeman can be left in the news box at the Queen City Drug Store. Why not subscribe for The Freeman now at the small cost of $1 00 a year for few more weeks only. See agent.

News Notes.

French Lick, Ind, Special.—Mr. James Lawson lett for Russellville, Ky., a few days ago. Away late, old "Platter foot" and "Rat Head" are to the good. Our present crew of waiters numbers 46, under the efficient managements of Mr. Tyler Martin, who by the way is the youngest head waiter in the U. S., he being only 22 years old. He is also younger than any of his men Mr. J. T. Martin spent ten days in Louisville recently. Messrs. Watts McNary and Henry Duff left for parts unknown, we patiently await their return. That Prince of good fellows Mr. Jas. D. Murphy got left at the post, owing to bad judgement and could not leave with the boys, though a little to the bad Jas. is one of the leaders of society.

CLAINS KIN TO AGUINALDO.

Man Who Says He Is the Filipino's Brother Is Employed in Hotel.

Cape May, N. J., Special.—A man claiming to be the brother of Emilio Aguinaldo, formerly insurgent chief of the Philippine Islands, is working here as head bellman at a hotel. He is known as John Dravry. He is twenty-three years old, copper colored, with straight hair, and appears very intelligent.

Odd Fellows Elect Officers.

Lafayette, Ind., Special.—The Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, District 22, elected the following officers: Grand master, James A. Johnson, Indianapolis; deputy grand master, P. E Eagleson, Spencer; grand secretary, W. I. Tyler, Bloomington; grand treasurer, Dr. W. F. Thomas, Marion; grand director, R. A. Kelly, Plainfield. The next annual meeting will be held at Terre Haute in August of 1902.

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SARATOGA BRIEFS.

Saratoga, N. Y., Special.—The many friends of Al. Harris, of Washington, D. C., will be pleased to hear that he has recovered from his long spell of sickness, and is out again taking the air and enjoying the beautiful sunshine. A grand Masonic reception will be given by Mt. Lebanon lodge, No. 33, A. F. & A. M., of Saratoga, Friday evening, Aug. 23, at Convention hall; this reception is to be given for the benefit of Mt. Lebanon lodge; Past General Assimo, Sir Joseph T. Lee of N. Y., will be master of ceremonies. The best of music will be furnished for this occasion; lodges from different cities will be represented, and it will be the greatest of the season. A. Grinell, of Boston, is in town enjoying the races very much and is delighted with the joys of Saratoga. John H. Green and wife, of New York City, are stopping at 54 Congress for the summer. Edward Brooks, of Washington, D. C., has been confined to his room for a few days; we are glad to see him out again. Mrs. Susie Holmes, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is in town for a short time with her sister, on Congress street. A very exciting race took place on Congress street a few days ago, four boys, four bicycles and a policeman. One of the boys, being from Washington, was finally overtaken by the policeman, and after being accompanied to to the court room by the officer, was fined $3. He later stepped out on Broadway a wiser and better man. J. T. Wilmore, of Baltimore, left for Philadelphia last week on account of some very important business. We have as a guest with us the popular contractor and builder, William R. Banks, of Phoebus, Va. He is looking well after an extended tour of the West, and is now spending a few weeks of quiet with friends on Federal street. William R. Baker, a jolly good fellow and an all round sport, is spending the summer at here; he is stopping at the Lakewood house.

EUFAULA NEWS

Eufaula, Ala., Special.—Coley Mincer, returned to Atlanta, Ga, last week. Mrs. T. R. Fields is on the sick list. Major Geo. W. Sherman, of the 48th infantry, U. S. V., has returned to New Orleans after spending a week with his parents in this city, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Sherman, on South Randolph street. Major Sherman brought many beautiful foreign presents, at which every one delighted to look. He is a Eufaulian and every one here wishes him success through life. Read The Freeman and keep up with the news of your town. Walter Sherman, of this city, is visiting relatives in Jacksonville, Fla. A fine game of base ball was witnessed in this city last Thursday between the Eufaula and Cuthbert teams; the score was 8 to 4 in favor of Eufaula. The boys all played well and Umpire J. L. Lawrence rendered fair decisions. July 28 was a high day with the members and friends of the African Baptist church; they celebrated their 35th anniversary as a church and the 1st anniversary of their earnest and energetic pastor, Rev. R. T. Schell. The choir rendered some very fine selections for the occasion. The day was extremely hot and some confusion prevailed in the city on account of the spread of scarlet fever, but in spite of it all, large crowds filled the old church morning, evening and night. Dr. C. H. Wilson, our physician, made a fine talk on "A Minister's Influence in the City." Among other things he said: "No man can today be of service to his race or denomination who attempts to straddle questions and issues, because people will not trust him on either side. The papers read and the talks made by the officers of the church brought out the facts that the year just closed of the pastor and church has been one in which much interest has been manifested in the church work. They seem, as a church, to be in fine shape; several additions to the flock have been added during the year, and considering the hard times, their financial report was very good indeed, $1,146.05 reported raised, with which they cancelled all outstanding debts and made repairs on the building, and made quite an improvement on the lights, exchanging the old smoky lamp to the latest improved electric lights. The future outlook seems fair for the church with their kind and progressive pastor.

By Charles Alexander.

Freedom's Next War for Humanity, by Charles Edward Locke, D. D. Jennings & Pye, Cincinnati, O.; 300 pp.

A man must be deeply and sincerely interested in his country; deeply and sincerely concerned about its social, economic and political problems; intensely interested in its future growth and prosperity to write such a book as "Freedom's Next War for Humanity." Dr. Charles Edward Locke, the author of this very important book on reforms, is as truly and earnestly concerned about the future of the distinctively American people as any man in this country. He proves his interest by his strong appeal to the whole people to enlist in the war against crimes of every sort. He has a prophetic vision, and is therefore able to see ultimate results of the present social system. He has given us a profound sociological study. His work is an index, pointing the people to truth and honor, and setting forth a plan for the amelioration of those victimized and oppressed citizens who are cursed by influences over which the individual can have but little control. His plan for the overthrow of the saloon and dens of vice is practicable it would seem from his standpoint. If the American Republic would make it its business to suppress the evils to which he points so freely and condemns so vigorously there can be no question as to the good that would accrue. The book is thought-producing, highly instructive and valuable chiefly as a work to be studied by those who are deeply interested in vital human problems.

Anting-Anting Stories and Other Strange Tales of the Filipinos, by Sergeant Kayme. Small, Maywood & Co., Boston, Mass; 235 pp.

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A Text-Book of Psychology, By Daniel Putnam. The American Book Company, Cincinnati, Ohio. 300 pages.

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Life and Letters of John Albert Broadus. By Archibald Thomas Robertson. The American Baptist Publication Society, Philadelphia, Pa. 471 pages.

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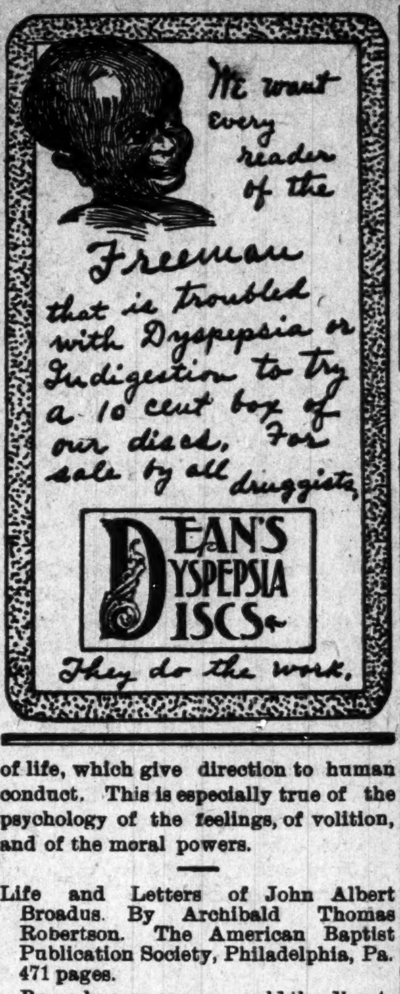
Josiah Flynt's frequent sojourns in what he calls the Under World have enriched his vocabulary with many vigorous and picturesque terms. What is more to the purpose, they widen our horizons into dark and troubled territory. "In "The World of Gratt," a recent publication of McClure, Phillips & Co., as in "The Powers that Prey, we learn of "guns," of "dips," "yeggmen," and "Strong-Arm men," who work in "mobs" untroubled by "wise elbow," never "pinched" unless a copper gets "leary," and never punished unless the "Front Office" cannot be "squared." Mr. Flynt's very lingo, borrowed from the grafters to give color to his facts, is of sinister import, bearing the implication of systematized crime, which will not disappear while the Upper World ignores what lies below.



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SPORT

Edited By BREAKAWAY.

Kid Thomas' manager, Billy Isaacs, is endeavoring, to secure a match with Joe Gans for twenty rounds. Joe Macias, who has Art Sims as well as Kid Broad on his books, has been informed that Thomas is ready to take on the unbeaten Sims at 128 pounds at 3 p. m. Sims has offered to make a match with Erne at 135 pounds by the ringside, but Isaacs thinks he should first fight Thomas.

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"Kid" McCoy and Marvin Hart are booked to appear in Lexington during the fall trotting meeting.

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"Shug" Spates recently defeated Fred D. Blair in a hotly contested bicycle race at Carthage, Mo., winning by a foot. The boys have arranged to race again.

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"Philadelphia" Jack O'Brien and Dido Plumb have signed articles to fight 15 rounds for the championship of England and a purse of $1250, with side bets of $1000 each. The men will scale at 154 pounds. The meeting will take place at Newcastle, Eng., October 14. Plumb was defeated by Charley McKeever of Philadelphia about a year ago.

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Cresceus, champion of the trotting turf, added more laurels to his fame last Friday by trotting a mile in 2:02¼, reducing by half a second his week-old record of 2:02¾ made at Cleveland last Friday.

The first half was trotted in :59¼, the first time that the distance has been covered in less than one minute by a trotter. The time by quarters was :29¾, :59¼, 1:30¼, and 2:02¼. Only a stiff wind blowing directly up the stretch kept him from stepping faster than 2:02.

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It was evident that the wind would not decrease before dark, and at 5:40 the stallion was brought out for the test. Tim Murnin, his trainer, was ready to accompany him with a runner, and Dan Laho waited at the half-mile pole to take him on from there.

On the fifth score Ketcham nodded for the word, but Cresceus was not in his stride and he pulled up at first turn to try it again. Down to the wire he rushed, the runner two lengths behind, and this time it was a go. Gamely facing the breeze the champion started on his journey, moving with apparent ease and at his greatest speed. The runner caught him at the quarters, and a sigh went up from the breathless throng as the time went up, a quarter of a second less than thirty. Now the wind was at his back, and realizing the advantage Ketcham kept him at his great clip. The half-mile pole was passed in 59¼ seconds, a record never before attained, and here the second runner caught him up.

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Into the fare turn and around it the great stallion thundered, his mighty muscles and machine-like stride carrying him as if on wings. The three-quarter pole was reached and passed in the wonderful time of 1:30¼. Then came the great trial, for as Cresceus turned into the stretch the bitter wind beat him in the face and held him back by force. For the fraction of a second he seemed to falter, but his driver's voice was in his ears and on he came. With that indomitable courage which courage which makes him what he is, he plunged on toward the finish with unweakened stride, and in spite of weariness and the buffeting of the breeze flashed under the wire, a winner against time. But for the wind against which Cresceus struggled it is believed that his time would have been a second faster.

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The Atlanta Deppens base ball club is still heaping laurels upon themselves by defeating all comers. A game between the Deppens and the Chicago Unions should prove a great drawing card, and worth traveling many miles to see.

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The plan to take Jeffries and Ruhlin to Savannah, Ga., for a scientific exhibition during the state fair has been abandoned. The men will be made no offer, as the Savannah promoters of the scheme have been given to understand that the engagement of the fighters at San Francisco will prevent them appearing in Savannah.

THE NEGRO'S WORTH

Written for The Freeman.

Who cast a slur on Negro worth,—a stain on Negro fame?—
Who dreads to own his Negro blood, or bear his Negro name?
Who scorns the warmth of Negro hearts,—the clasp of Negro hands?—
If he but show his traitor's face, we'll crush him where he stands.

The Negro's blood! Its crimson tide has watered hill and plain
Wherever there were wrongs to crush, or freemen's rights to gain.
No dastard thought, no cowardly fear has held it tamely by.
When there were noble deeds to do—a noble death to die.

The Negro's heart! The Negro's heart! God keep long, pure and free
The fullness of its kindly thought; its wealth of honest glee;
Its generous strength; its ardent faith; its uncomplaining trust;
Though every worshipped idol break and crumble into dust.

The Negro's hands! Ah, lift them up; made rough by honest toil.
The champion of the civil war and of the Cuban soil;
Their battle swords they flash aloft, though death in front they see,
The Negro's hands did valiant deeds to set brave Cuba free.

They bore the old flag bravely, and were there at Lincoln's call.
They stood beside the foremost rank, with the bravest of them all.
And when before the enemy's guns they held the gray at bay—
O never could the Afric heart beat prouder than that day.

So if some proud Caucasian cavils at the darkness of your race,
Or speaks in scorn of Africa before her children's face,
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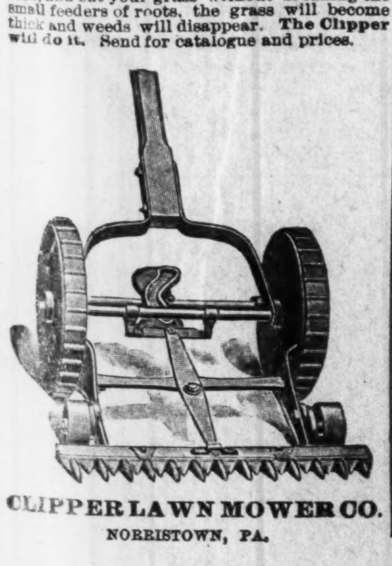

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At Water Valley, Ala., recently a horse belonging to J. B. Whitney took fright and ran away. Mrs. Whitney and three small grandchildren were the occupants of the vehicle. The horse came down Main street at breakneck speed, the cries for help and the screaming children adding to the horror of the scene. Onlookers were powerless to stop the animal, and momentarily expected to see the occupants dashed to death. At the most critical moment, when all hope seemed gone and men were turning their backs upon the scene, Essex Early, a colored man, threw himself in front of the maddened animal. A great cloud of dust arose as the horse seemed to be trampling the man to death, but they had not gone a block when it was seen that Early had grasped the bridle bits, and was holding on with tiger-like tenacity, while being dragged between the horse's feet. The weight of the man at its mouth soon checked the horse's gait. The animal was surrounded and stopped, the colored man holding on to the last. Not one of the occupants was injured beyound a servere shock to their nerves from the desperate ride. Early was roundly cheered by the crowd and a purse was made up for him. He received some bruises but was not seriously injured.

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..CITY NOTES..

In Louisville—Miss Ella Johnson.

Miss Izora Brooks is on a short visit to Logansport.

Returned from Richmond—Miss Geneviene Bagby.

Kentucky friends are entertaining Mrs. Belle Curtis.

Mr. T. J. Minor left Monday for Chicago on business.

J. W. Doakes of Birmingham, Ala., will locate in this city.

Mrs. Laura Gaines entertained the Woman's Club Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Cheatam is the guest of Benton Harbor friends.

Prof. Campbell of Kentucky spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Mr. Frank Smith of New York was in the city several days this week.

Andrew L. Bowers of Galveston, Tex., is in the city for a few days.

The Aid Alliance of Bethel church picnicked at Garfield Park, Thursday.

Mrs. T. J. Minor of Anderson, Ind., is spending a few weeks with Mrs. S. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brooks will leave for Logansport Saturday for a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lee of Minneapolis, Minn., were here last week for a brief stay.

Mrs. Ethel Pratt returned Saturday from a visit to her parents in Battle Creek, Mich.

Mrs. Tisha Richards of 320 E. Vermont street is attending the Buffalo Exposition.

Mrs. Wm. Lonas will leave Sunday for Louisville to visit relatives for three or four weeks.

Chas. H. Stewart of The Freeman leaves to-night for Detroit and other Michigan towns.

Mrs. Hattie Webber returned Sunday from a three weeks visit with relatives in Louisville, Ky.

Rev. J. J. Blackshear attended the Eastern Baptist Association meeting at Connersville this week.

Mrs. Jennie Hill entertained the Progressive Social Club at her home 334 N. Missouri street.

Mrs. Maggie Jones of Terre Haute was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson 420 N. West street last week.

Miss Dr. Louise Taylor went to her home in Cincinnati, O., and will be the guest of her parents several weeks.

Mr. Richard Wilson an old soldier and respected citizen died and was buried this week under the G. A. R's.

Joseph Evans the local representative of The Freeman at Pittsburg, Pa., will take a two weeks vacation this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Starks and little daughter Edith have moved to Terre Haute, Ind., to reside permanently.

J. H. Adams of Brazil and E. D. McKay of Richmond were delegates here to the Socialistic convention last week.

Misses Emma and Pearlie Ransom of Nashville, Tenn., were the guests of their sister Mrs. Ellen Chatman, 1040 Hosbrook street.

A. E. Manning editor and publisher the World left Sunday for a ten days visit to Washington, Philadelphia and New York City.

Mrs. Joshua Collins has returned after a two months visit in Masquette, Mich., and Milwaukee, Wis., with her sister and old friends.

Mrs. Walter Jameson left for Princeton to attend the Grand Lodge and will represent St. Marys Temple No. 2, of which she is Worthy Princess.

Mr. Willis O. Tyler was in the city last week. Mr. Tyler was enroute from Marion where he delivered an address the occasion being the Emancipation celebration.

Mr. Chas. H. Phillips, Jr., of Jackson, Tenn., on his returned from the Pan-American Exposition stopped in the city this week and was the guest of Mrs. Irene Bagby and family at 1911 Tabott Ave.

On account of being called away to Richmond, Ind., Dr. Hurley will not finish his series of sermon on "baptism" until Sunday week. Bishop Grant will have charge of his pulpit Sunday morning and throughout the day. Come out.

The Y. M. P. B. will render a grand sacred program at Simpson Chapel Sunday August 11, at 3 p. m. Rev. Gilliam will lecture on Y. M. C. A., work and other feature will be music by the best talent of the city. All are cordially invited.

The program of the Y. M. P. B., Aug 11, is as follows: Invocation, Rev. Hurley; Choir, Simpson Chapel; Reading, Miss Walker; Solo, Maud Bass; Address—Y. M. C. A. Work, Rev. Gilliam; Choir, Collection; and Solo Wm. Collins or R. Shelton and Doxology.

W. Eugene Costley of San Francisco, Cala., who was a delegate to the Socialistic convention here last week was entertained by Mr and Mrs Wm. Brady in Ellsworth street. Mr. Costley introduced a resolution into the convention which although strongly in favor of the race met the hearty approval of the body.

A very able and what some would call "doctrinal sermom" was delivered last Sunday morning by Rev. Dr. R. French Hurley from his pulpit in Allen Chapel. The doctor is preparing for conference which convenes in September. We can say that he is a very able man both in church and state. He advised the members of his congregation to pay their claims.

Sunday is special Children's Day in Allen Chapel. The little folks appeal to the public for assistance and attention. They have prepared an excellent program to render to the public at 2:30 on the above date in the afternoon. A part on the program: Miss Fannie Mitchell, Miss Mae D. Jackson, Misses Evans, sisters; Mr. B. Morris and Mr. Harry Samuels, Hon. G. L. Knox and Dr. R. F. Hurley, Mr. Charles P. Green and his choir will conduct the music. Come out.

Ninth Presbyterian Church.

Rev. H. A. Gibson pastor will preach to-morrow at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 p. m.

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Muncie Items.

Muncie, Ind., Special.—Dr. Payne an African graduate of Meharry college lectured at A. M. E church Sunday evening. Eagle Band furnished music for a lawn fete at the home of Mrs. Downs on South Hackley street Monday evening. The Young Ladies Twentieth Century Club gave an entertainment Monday evening at A. M. E. church. Mr. Geofrey Hargrave and Miss Ethel Clark of Whitely were joined in marriage Thursday of last week at the A. M. E. Parsonage by Rev. Coleman. Miss Gertrude Martin is visiting her brother Elwood Martin in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Wingfield buried their infant son last Friday from their home in Whitely. Interment at Beech Grove. Mr. Sanford Jackson has accepted a position at the Alcazar parlors. W. E. Robbins has opened a business for himself at his old trade. He is located on East Main street. Mrs. Julia Robbins and boy will attend the Association at Connersville next week. Quite a number with Eagle Band celebrated the 1st of August at Marion, Ind., all report an excellent time. Miss Mayme Robbin is ill with fever at her home on East Adam street.

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SWAMP ANGEL ON THE WING

A few Sundays ago, as we were about to pass a certain church, we looked at our well-worn time-piece and found we were just in time for Sunday school. We dropped in and took a back seat and listened intently to one of the teachers as she vainly endeavored to interest her pupils in the teachings of the Holy One.

It was an irksome task. One little girl busied herself telling another about her new dress, another about her hat, and so on. They were half-grown girls, yet seemed to have not the least conception of what they were there for, as they knew nothing of the lesson, and admitted that they never read the Bible.

After a general resume of the lesson the choir, composed of little folks, took their places. Being a little belated, the superintendent insisted upon the children to make their contributions at once, and that it was not necessary to wait for music. But in this he failed. The children did not budge until the organist began playing. In this particular they are only imitating their parents, who will not contribute to the church unless they parade to music time up to the collection table.

We know of nothing that is more desecrating to the house of God than this wholesale cake-walking, waltz time parading in the sacred aisles of the church. The good that may accrue from a well-delivered sermon is lost in this mad, wild rush for show, and thus the ardent worshipper, leaves the holy sanctuary but little benefitted spiritually.

If parents would look as carefully after the future welfare of their little ones as they do after some of the useless, cheap toggery they wear, possibly the presiding judges throughout the country would not be compelled to sentence so many well-dressed dudes to the work houses.

If you cannot instill the teachings of the Holy One in their minds while they are young and innocent you can hardly expect to accomplish the desired end when they grow older. The Sunday school is a nucleus around which the little ones should twine till death. The swaggering young man and the free-easy-don't-care girl may be popular for a while in the "smart set," but they are not lasting—they cannot stand the test.

General News.

Greater New York, Special.—Harold Johnson and Elmer Mason left Friday for Pittsburg, Pa. William Malberg, known as the "Mayor of West Fifty-ninth street" who has turned all the white tenants out of his flats in that street and replaced them with Negroes, says he would shoot any policeman who interfered with him. He says when he gets the "white trash" away he will move from 342 himself and purify the neighborhood. "I have had a bad experience with white people during the last two years," said he, "and I am through with them as tenants for good. Why, there was one case where a man fell ill, and from December last till July he never paid me a cent of rent, and then he died. While he was sick my wife took wine and delicacies to him, and when he died and his widow had collected the insurance money I went around and offered to settle their indebtedness to me for $50. And what do you think the widow said? She said: 'I don't owe you any money. It is my husband who owes you the money, and he is in heaven.' My tongue clove to the roof of my mouth, and I could only stutter 'I doubt it' and fled." "The people of Fifty-ninth street will be out in the street shouting 'Hosannah!' when I get through, because the streets will be so clean. My tenants may have black faces, but inside of them will beat hearts like those of newborn babies." Subscribe for The Freeman and be up-to-date, J. Harry Jackson is the representative for Greater New York; office 114 West 31st street. Telephone 2421-a Madison Square. Send all items of interest. Residents on fashionable North Elliott place, Brooklyn, were amazed to see on the three-story brownstone house at No. 3 to-day a twenty-foot canvas sign bearing in black letters one foot high, the following: "five hundred dollars will be paid to any broker selling this house to colored people exclusively. To be sold cheap, on easy terms. Apply after 7 p. m." It is a "spite sign," neighbors say. The house is owned by Dr. George Washington Heatley, of No. 163 Willoughby avenue, who owns most of Wading River, L. I. He tried to sell No. 3 Two of his neighbors bargained with him for it, and just as the contract was about to be signed each backed out. When that colored family moves in it will have as neighbors: Theodore B Sheldon, James H. Hart, the Fulton street jeweler; Nathan T. Sprague, president of the Sprague National Bank; John Loughrin, president of the Williamsburg Bank; George H. Bennett, and Dr. Belcher. The price of No. 3 was a little over $9,000. Joe Bernstein and Joe Walcott gave a grand picnic at Ft. George, Monday evening and a good time in general was had by all present. The genial "Benny" Wright was the presiding officer. Mr. Wright is negotiating with manager Hammerstein to handle the ushers at his new theatre to be opened this season. Miss Willie Farrell sailed for London last Saturday morning. She is booked to appear in pantomime there for three months, after which she will appear in Berlin and France. Now is the time to subscribe for The Freeman. For sale everywhere.

A Chance for Young Men.

The Phelps Hall Bible Training School, conducted in connection with the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute, Tuskegee, Alabama, offers exceptional opportunity to young men who wish to prepare for the Christian ministry. An especial building containing 40 sleeping rooms and also a chapel, library, reading room, office, and three recitation rooms, is set apart for the Bible students and for their instructors. The faculty is composed of some of the strongest men in the country. Special lecturers are engaged to give a regular course of lectures during the term. Teaching in the Bible School is free. The cost of board, including fuel, room, light, washing, etc., is $8 per month, and students who are willing can work out a portion of this, thus leaving as a rule only $5 or $6 to be paid in cash. A few who have no money will be given an opportunity to work out all their expenses. Lack of means need debar none. The school term begins September 10, 1901. Students wishing to enter school write at once for catalogue and further information if desired, to Booker T. Washington, Principal, Tuskegee, Ala.

Lookout for Him.

L. R. Farmer, a commissioned deputy of the International Order of Twelve of Knights and Daughters of Tabor; in the name of the order has, robbed and defrauded the people of Lincoln, Ala., Powder Springs and Athens, Ga., out of a large amount of money. He is hard to catch; he does his devilish work in one place. When the people press him to make good his promises he skips out. The last place that we traced him was Athens, Ga. He pretends to be a preacher, and by this means deceives our people. Knights and Daughters of Tabor, and citizens everywhere, look out for him and show him up. His commission has been revoked and he is suspended from the order. Any person knowing the whereabouts of Rev. L. R. Farmer will confer a favor on me by sending me a notice.

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St. Paul Notes.

St. Paul, Minn., Special.—Mr. and Mrs. Bayliss Pegg are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Saunders, 307 E. 7th street. The Odd Fellows of this city are looking for a site upon which to build a hall. Mr. W. Martin, who has been on an extended visit East, has returned. Mrs. Martin is quite ill with rheumatism. Mr. James Stewart expects to leave soon for Toledo, Ohio.

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THE MARKET

Cotton.

New Orleans, July 31—Cotton easy. Sales, 800 bales Ordinary, 5⅜c; good ordinary, 6 9-16c; low middling, 7⅝c; middling, 8⅛c; good middling, 8½c; middling fair, 8¾c nominal. Receipts, 4,111 dalesr stock, 73,670 bales.

New York, July 31.—Cotton—Spot closed dull but steady; middl ng uplands, 8 1-16c; mid-middling gulf, 8 5-16c. Sa es, 4,050 bales.

New Orleans, Aug. 1.—Cotton easy. Sales, 450 bales. Ordinary, 5 13-16c; good ordinary, 6½c; low middling, 7 5-16c; middling, 8 1-16c; good middling, 8 7-16c; middling fair, 8 11-16c. Receipts. 588 bales; stock, 70,408 bales.

New York. Aug 1.—Cotton—Spot closed dull but steady; middling uplands, 8 1-16c, middling gulf, 8 5-16c. Sales, 31,770 bales.

New Orleans, Aug. 2.—Cotton steady. Sales, 650 bales. Ordinary, 5 13-16c, good ordinary, 6½c, low middling 7 5-16c, middling, 8 1-16c, middling good, 8 7-16c, middling fair, 8 11-16c. Recipts, 435 bales; stock, 70,614 bales.

New York, Aug. 2.—Cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 8 1-16c, middling gulf, 8 5-16c. Sales, 5,306 bales.

New Orleans, Aug. 3.—Cotton steady. Sales, 950 bales Ordinary, 5 13 16c; good ordinary, 6½c; low middling, 7 5-16c; middling, 8 11-16c; good middling, 8 1-16c; middling fair, 8 11-16c. Recepts, 692 bales; stock, 60,639 bales.

New York, Aug. 3.—Cotton—Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 8 1-16c: middling gulf, 8 5-16c. Sales, 200 bales.

New Orleans, Aug. 5.—Cotton firm. Sales, 1,450 bales Ordinary. 5 13-16c; good ordinary, 6½c; low middling, 7 5-16c; middling, 8 1-16c; good midd ing, 8 7-16c; middling fair, 8 11-16c. Receipts, 765 bales; stock, 61,111 bales.

New York, Aug. 5.—Cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 8 1-16c; middling gulf, 8 5-16c. Sales, 147 bales.

New Orleans, Aug. 6.—Cotton quiet. Sales, 1,050 bale. Ordinary, 5¾c; good ordinary, 6 7-16c; l w middli g, 7¼c; middling, 8c; good middling, 8⅜c; middling fair 8⅝c nominal. Receipts, 1,392 sales; stock, 56,565 bales.

New York, Aug. 6.—Cotton closed quiet at 1-16c lower; middling uplands, 8c; middling gulf, 8⅜c. Sales, 371 bales.

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Mr. Wright is a merchant and well known citizen of Marshall, Mich., who was permanently cured of lost manhood and nervous debility after declining health for years. He now devotes his life to helping other men who suffer as he once suffered. Mr. Wright offers to send the medical prescription that effected a cure in his case to every reader of The Freeman who is suffering today as he suffered. All who will drop him a letter asking for a copy of the prescription will receive it by return mail free of charge.

The following editorial by A. N. Tally, M. D., regarding Mr. Wright's prescription for lost manhood appeared in a recent issue of the United States Health Reports, published at Washington, D. C.

We, as the highest American authority on all matters of health, sanitation and hygiene, are constantly receiving letters of inquiry about a reliable cure for lost strength in men.

Therefore we have ordered an investigation to be made into the subject and our medical staff found there were many so called cures on the market, but that many were worthless and some actually harmful Therefore when we came upon the prescription furnished free by George B. Wright, a merchant of Marshall, Mich., we instituted a most thorough laboratory examination and found that its wonderful efficacy depended upon its being exactly compounded according to proper chemical requirements in order to establish the proper chemical actions and reactions in the human system and that it should especially, and above all contain each and every ingredient named in the prescription, otherwise it would be quite inactive and worthless.

Properly mixed and containing everthing called for in the prescription, its effect upon the nerve centers is truly wonderful and its nerve tonic properties easily surpassed all ordinary methods of medication.

Among the benefactors of the race may be mentioned the said George B. Wright, inasmuch that he gives this grand discovery free to all who write for it.

Taken according to directions it builds up the weak and restores to full size and vigor the nerve muscles. It brings hope and cheer and lifts up the discouraged man so that he once more enjoys the beauties of nature and the pleasures of life. Failure in business and love surely falls upon him who is weakened physically and mentally, and this sad condition is at once relieved and a new man made of him who uses this prescription.

Therefore, upon the highly favorable report of our medical staff we extend to George B. Wright's prescription for lost manhood the full editorial and official indorsement of the United States health reports.

As certain as a wound leaves a scar, and as sure as effect follows cause, do men live to repent their follies and indiscretions in weakness and suffering. The tortured sufferer may bear no telltale marks of ruin upon his face to betray his lost manhood. He goes to his grave a human wreck, and never tells of his sufferings for fear of shame. Such mental anguish at times drives him to the verge of desperation, and he is easy prey for those vultures in human form—quack doctors—who hold out alluring hopes of cure only to disappoint, and after robbing him of his money, plunge him into absolute despair.

No one can appreciate the horrors of lost manhood except he who has suffered them. No one can help such sufferers except he who knows a cure and has himself been restored to full manhood. A notable cure of lost manhood in an extreme case was effected in the person of George B. Wright, a music dealer and well known citizen of Marshall, Mich. Mr. Wright for years suffered the agony of lost vital power. He saw his physical power go from him as the result of insidious disease, until he was reduced to a condition of senility, and the best doctors in country gave him up to die.

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